

ILLINOIS VOTERS REJECT NEW CONSTITUTION

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700,000—Opponents Had Estimated That
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—Cook County and Down State Vote No

(By The Associated Press)

BULLETIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Revised returns from 5282 out of 5656 precincts in Illinois give:
2938 out of 3312 downstate precincts:
For 145,091
Against 338,826
2344 precincts in Cook county complete:
For 35,828
Against 531,390
5282 out of 5656 in state:
For 180,919
Against 870,216

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Upsetting even the fondest hopes of the opponents of the proposed new state constitution, Illinois voters today rejected that document by a majority that probably will exceed 700,000.

Opponents of the change had estimated they would win by from 100,000 to 300,000.

With Chicago and Cook county reporting complete, with complete returns from fifty-eight downstate counties and partial returns from the other 43, the figures at 11 o'clock gave:

For the Constitution 190,701
Against it 880,046
Expectation that the blizzard which reached Northern Illinois last night bringing temperatures down near the zero point would keep down the vote here where opposition to the proposed constitution was strongest, failed to materialize.

Cook county including the city of Chicago, gave a majority of 495,562 against the change. The figures were 531,390 against it and 35,828 for the proposal.

Only 377 precincts missing at 11 o'clock—scattered thru 34 downstate counties—cannot materially change the final result.

In the seventh judicial circuit, where two Republicans and one Democrat were candidates for the two seats which the proposed constitution would have added to the supreme court had it been approved, thousands of voters did not bother to vote on the candidate for judge; so confident were they that the positions would not be created.

ONE HUNDRED KILLED IN EXPLOSION

(By The Associated Press)
HAVANA, Dec. 12.—One hundred workmen were killed or injured today in a boiler explosion which wrecked the Estrella Sugar Mill, near Camaguey.

Thirteen bodies had been recovered up to 7 o'clock this evening and forty injured persons were being cared for in Camaguey.

Most of the victims are Spaniards.

GREEN'S HOME CITY AGAINST CON CON

(By The Associated Press)
CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Dec. 12.—Complete returns from Urbana shows 539 for and 2,158 against the proposed constitution. A bitter fight was waged in Urbana, the home of Henry I. Green, a member of the constitutional convention.

Out of forty six precincts reporting, four gave majorities for.

SPRINGFIELD DOES NOT WANT WHEEL TAX

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 12.—A proposed city ordinance for a wheel tax on automobiles and other vehicles was defeated in Springfield today by a vote of 3,691 for to 8,828 against the ordinance. The measure proposed a sliding scale ranging from \$1 up to \$12 for all vehicles using the streets of Springfield the revenue from which was to be used for street maintenance purposes.

WILSON TURNING TO POLITICS AGAIN

Washington, Dec. 12.—Bainbridge Colby's announcement of the termination of his law partnership with Woodrow Wilson is not a surprise to Washington and is regarded as an added evidence that the former president is again turning his attention to politics particularly the fortunes of the Democratic party in 1924.

MUCH WRANGLING MARKS OPENING OF DAUGHERTY CASE

Method of Procedure
is One of Main Points
of Contention

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Hearings on impeachment proceedings brought against Attorney General Daugherty by Representative Keller, Republican, Minnesota, were opened today before the house judiciary committee. They were marked by frequent clashes between committee members and Jackson H. Ralston, counsel for Mr. Keller, first as to the method of procedure and second as to the relevancy of testimony.

The Minnesota representative won the first skirmish the committee voting in executive session after an hour and a half of wrangling in the question to hear evidence on three of the fourteen specifications in the designated by Mr. Keller instead of taking the charges up in the numerical order in which they were presented originally.

Another decision was against the summoning of Chief Justice Taft, whose presence had been requested by Mr. Ralston for the purpose of confirming a letter which Mr. Taft wrote in 1912 while president, to the then attorney General Wickersham and which was read into the record during the day. The committee held that confirmation would be unnecessary. This letter and one written to Mr. Taft by Mr. Wickersham constituted the principal evidence submitted today.

They both dealt with a pardon for William J. Jones, convicted in Oregon in 1907, of alleged land frauds and referred to alleged activities of William J. Burns, appointed last year by Mr. Daugherty as chief of the bureau of investigation of the department in connection with the drawing of the jury in the Jones' case.

Explain Purpose.
The purpose of their introduction into the record, Mr. Ralston explained was to support the charge in the impeachment specifications that Mr. Daugherty had appointed to positions of great importance and responsibility, men who were "untrustworthy, corrupt and dangerous to the liberties of the people."

In the Wickersham report to the president it was set forth that Mr. Burns who then was employed by the government under Francis J. Heney, as special prosecutor in the land fraud cases obtained in advance a list of prospective petit jurors who were to be called in the trial before Judge Gilbert and that after 600 of the 2,000 names had been found satisfactory from his standpoint the names had been allowed to remain in the jury box.

President Taft in replying to Mr. Wickersham and declaring a pardon for Jones constituted "the most barefaced and unfair use of all the machinery for drawing a jury which had been disclosed to him in all his long experience" in the federal courts. He added that this condition "gives sufficient reason to justify a pardon for Jones as well as justifying condemnation of the methods of Heney and Burns."

Paul Howland of Cleveland, Ohio, who appeared as a "personal counsel" for Mr. Daugherty, developed from James A. Finch, pardon attorney for the department of justice who prepared the report in the land fraud case that both Mr. Burns and Mr. Heney had denied the charges with regard to the drawing of the Jones jury. Mr. Finch testified also that Judge Gilbert had denied the charges, but Mr. Ralston declared the official records of the department of justice would show that the trial judge subsequently had changed his opinion.

KING'S MESSAGE READ YESTERDAY

(By The Associated Press)

DUBLIN, Dec. 12.—General Healy which was read in the free state parliament today after formally announcing the enactment of the constitution of the free state says:

"It is my earnest hope that as faithful observance by all sides of the pact so concluded, peace and prosperity in Ireland may be secured. In the spirit of that settlement I have chosen you to be the first representative of the crown in the Irish free state. With all my heart I pray that the blessing of God may rest upon you and the ministers of the Irish free state in the difficult task committed to your charge."

John Wanamaker Merchant Prince Dead

(By The Associated Press)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—John Wanamaker, internationally famous merchant and former postmaster general, died today in his 85th year. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon in Bethany Presbyterian church in a neighborhood once prosperous but no longer suggestive of either beauty or wealth.

Mr. Wanamaker had preserved himself in a remarkable manner his active participation up until a few months ago in affairs, civic, political, industrial and religious, having been regarded as almost without parallel.

The death of the great merchant came at 8 a. m. the hour which for more than half a century saw him at his place of business. The Wanamaker stores in Philadelphia and New York were closed immediately and will remain so until after the funeral.

Men prominent in all lines of endeavor joined in expressions of regret at the passing of Mr. Wanamaker and tributes came from the high, the low, the rich and the poor, business associates and business rivals.

President Harding, Governor Sproul, Cardinal Daugherty, Governor Elbert Pinchot and others paid tribute to his life.

Philadelphia's public schools will be closed for one session on the day of the funeral in memory of Mr. Wanamaker, who as chairman of the finance committee on the board of education, did much in building up the educational system of the city.

Early last month Mr. Wanamaker broke down with a severe cold contracted at his magnificent country estate, Lyndhurst in Jenkintown north of Philadelphia. He was removed to his town house at 2032 Walnut street. For several days preceding his death, his condition was said to be improving.

At midnight, yesterday it became apparent that his end was near. His children were sent for. His two daughters, Mrs. Barclay H. Wharburton and Mrs. Norman McLeod, were at his bedside when he died. A severe coughing spell which had gradually been sapping his strength, weakened his heart action until it stopped.

"He died like a stoic," said McLeod.

His only son, Rodman Wanamaker, of New York, who is ill himself, arrived here today, and had to be assisted into the house.

Mr. Wanamaker's physicians issued the following postmortem statement tonight:

"Mr. Wanamaker died at 8 o'clock this morning quietly and without suffering from heart failure. He was induced by a short but violent coughing spell which occurred about 4:45 a. m.

"He had slept well thru the night after having been distinctly brighter and stronger than usual the preceding day. His cough had not been troublesome for days and had apparently ceased to be a factor in his condition.

His heart action had from time to time given cause for anxiety but had recently improved markedly. This proved unequal to the strain of coughing and failed suddenly. He rapidly became unconscious and continued to sink until the end.

Signed,
"Dr. Harvey Shoemaker,
"Dr. Alfred Stengel,
"Dr. William E. Quicksall."

MANY WITNESSES ARE SUBPOENAED FOR TRIAL

(By The Associated Press)

MARYON, Ill., Dec. 12.—Hundreds of witnesses have been subpoenaed to testify in the trial of five men charged with murder in connection with the Herrin mine riots last June, which is set to open in county circuit court tomorrow.

The opening statement for the defense is docketed first and A. W. Kerr, chief counsel for the Illinois Mine Workers, is scheduled to deliver it. Delos Duty, state's attorney will make the opening remarks for the state. Observers said tonight the earliest estimates are that at least six weeks will be required to complete the case.

**RELIEF FROM COLD
WAVE PROMISED**

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 12.—Relief from the cold wave came to southeastern Nebraska and western Iowa today with a south breeze that carried promise of snow. A rise of 20 degrees was reported from Beatrice, Nebraska and from Lincoln. Omaha also experienced rising temperature. Snow and continued rising temperature is predicted for Wednesday. Sioux City reported continued cold tonight.

MISSISSIPPI FLOODS ARE DRIVING FARMERS OUT COMMITTEE TOLD

Says Also Raising River Bed
Destroying Many
Terminals

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Floods in the Mississippi valley not only are driving thousands of farmers from the land, but also are tending to raise the bed of the river and wipe out terminals built at great costs, the house flood control committee was told at hearings today on the Wilson-Humphreys \$100,000,000 Mississippi river general improvement bill.

Representatives of every section of the valley and some from other parts of the country testified that a comprehensive, scientific scheme of harnessing the great waterway to make it safe both for those living along its banks and for transporting great crops of the middle west, was urgently necessary. Governor Parker of Louisiana, said the river was the greatest single asset of the nation and others, including Representative Greene, Republican, Vermont, declared the question was of national importance and should be considered as such by congress.

Three Republican representatives from the middle west, Graham, Illinois; Rhodes, Missouri; and Kopp, Iowa, told the committee it was necessary that the Mississippi commission extend its flood control work north of the mouth of the Ohio, where, they said tributaries filled with backwater from the Mississippi had done great damage.

FIRST COLD WAVE HITS THE COUNTRY

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The first extreme cold wave of the winter accompanied in many sections by blizzards, high winds and snows gripped the entire nation today with the exception of the south Pacific coast and extreme southern Florida. In the Great Lakes region and upper Mississippi Valley the temperature ranged from a few degrees above zero to a few degrees below. Chicago experienced its coldest weather of winter, eight above zero early today and several points in Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin reported near zero and sub-zero temperature.

The northwest which has been in the grip of a cold wave for several days, seemed to have been the origin of the cold wave, which carried freezing temperature as far south as Dallas, Texas, tied up lake shipping and moved rapidly eastward.

Increasing cloudiness with slowly rising temperature was promised for the great lakes region tomorrow with diminishing winds on the lakes.

Reports from Lake Michigan ports indicated that all boats caught in Monday night's gale had reached port safely. The Alabama which left Muskegon for Chicago, was driven back to its place of starting. From the Rocky Mountain region where the temperature range was from 7 to 34 degrees below zero, trains were reported delayed and transportation facilities disarranged.

WILSON RETIRES FROM LAW FIRM

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Bainbridge Colby, secretary of state in President Wilson's cabinet, announced today that his law partnership with the former president would terminate December 31, at the expiration of their co-partnership agreement. The announcement was made from the local offices of Wilson and Colby.

Beyond saying that the former president is turning his energies once more to subjects which have long invited him, Mr. Colby made no statement as to Mr. Wilson's plans.

It was announced that Mr. Colby would continue his practice here.

**UNABLE TO AGREE
ON DISARMAMENT**

Moscow, Dec. 12.—The conference on limitation of armaments which was being participated in by Russia, Poland, Latvia, Estonia and Finland, has resulted in failure and has disbanded. The breakdown was due to failure of the delegates to conclude a treaty of non-aggression prior to the commencement of discussion of the question of limitation of armaments.

ISMET PASHA PUTS SAND IN GEARS OF NEAR EAST PARLEY

Dashes Hopes for a
Speedy Settlement
of Minorities

(By The Associated Press)

LAUSANNE, Dec. 12.—Ismet Pasha dashed the hopes of the Near Eastern conference for a speedy and satisfactory settlement for the protection of minorities in Turkey when, in an address this afternoon he insisted on an exchange of the Greek populations in Anatolia with the Turks in Macedonia.

He demanded exclusion of all foreign interference in Turkey, which he said would protect the remaining minorities as the Turks always had been able to get along with other nationalities when they kept out of politics and were not stirred up by outside influences.

Ismet declared Turkey would not accept Lord Curzon's proposals to have the league of Nations administer the affairs of the minorities, as that would mean that the foreign powers would continue their interference in Turkish affairs. This plan, he asserted would result in the exploitation of minorities for political ends under the "lying cloak of humanitarianism."

The Turkish chief delegate reviewed the entire history of the conquest of Constantinople.

The Turks, he said, had lived peacefully with the Greeks and Armenians until a hundred years ago, when the Russians began agitating against the Mohammedans under the pretense that Russia was the protector of Orthodox Christians in Turkey.

He charged Russia with being responsible for the attack Gladstone made on Turkey in behalf of the Armenians and maintained that the so-called Turkish atrocities against Armenians frequently had been in the nature of reprisals for pogroms perpetrated in Russia.

According to Ismet there are now no minorities in Turkey which can claim the right to belong to any nation, thus disposing of the Armenian claim for autonomy in Turkey.

Curzon said the conference was dealing with the affairs of peoples in the greatest distress and must find a solution for the problem of the miserable refugees and without regard for ancient history and must frame a treaty which would protect those unhappy people.

He called attention that Ismet Pasha had not mentioned the allied plans for solving the difficulties of the minorities in Turkey.

In emphatic tones he denounced Ismet's demand that there be a forced exchange of Turkish and Greek populations and declared that the minorities must remain in both countries.

GOVERNOR SMALL EXPRESSES PLEASURE

(By The Associated Press)

KANKAKEE, Ill., Dec. 12.—Governor Len Small tonight expressed his satisfaction at the defeat of the proposed new constitution, which he had advised the voters to reject.

"I think the result is fine," the governor declared after reading the Associated Press returns received at the office of his newspaper, The Kankakee Republican. "I am very much pleased. It shows the downstate districts have voted nearly as strongly against it as Chicago. I think it is particularly gratifying that the people so fully understood the proposed constitution and the efforts being made by some designing politicians to prejudice the downstate counties against Chicago."

"The two principal points which prejudiced the voters against the new constitution were by the income tax provision, by which the tax on great incomes would have been limited to not more than three times the rate on small incomes and the sections which would have thrown the judiciary branch of the government into politics."

**JURY SAYS DEATH
WAS ACCIDENTAL**

Chicago, Dec. 12.—A coroner's jury today decided that Gordon Tuckhead, 13, as killed yesterday by the accidental discharge of a pistol he was examining and did not commit suicide. Reports that the lad had been reprimanded for looking into Christmas packages and that this caused him to shoot himself were denied by the parents.

GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE NO ACTION IN PROPOSED MERGER

Secretary Wallace Announces Decision After Long Study and Conference with President Harding and Attorney Daugherty—
Quotes the Latter's Opinion in the Matter

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The government will take no action at this time on the proposed acquisition of Morris & Co. physical assets by Armour & Co. of Chicago, Secretary Wallace announced today. He reached this decision after long study of the proposal and conferences with President Harding and Attorney General Daugherty. There was no indication in Washington whether Armour & Co. would proceed with their negotiations for the Morris establishment which is one of the "big five" packing establishment.

Secretary Wallace declared there appeared to be no occasion for action at this time, under the packers and stock yards act which he administers, in connection with the proposal informally laid before him by J. Ogden Armour. Mr. Wallace also transmitted this information and data upon the proposal to the senate in response to a resolution of Senator LaFollette, Republican, Wisconsin.

Mr. Wallace declared there was nothing in the packers and stock yards act which specifically prohibits the purchase by one packer of the physical assets of another. An opinion by Attorney General Daugherty made with the announcement said the act is essentially a regulatory one and that the duties and powers of the secretary of agriculture thereunder are to regulate the industry.

The attorney general declared neither the act nor the regulation provided for therein contemplated or requires that the secretary of agriculture should advise the industry in regard to such a transaction as proposed by Mr. Armour in advance of its consummation. Mr. Daugherty said the act vested Mr. Wallace with broad powers of inquiry and he was of the opinion Mr. Wallace might make such inquiry.

"The language of the packers and stockyards act," said Mr. Daugherty, "makes it clear to me that the act does not require you to take any formal action until you have reason to believe that the law has been violated or is being violated. To constitute a violation of the law within the meaning of this act, there might be something more than a mere statement of what a person or corporation contemplates." "

Citing a supreme court decision involving the act Mr. Daugherty quoted from Chief Justice Taft as follows:

"Its provisions are carefully drawn to apply only to those practices and obstructions which, in the judgment of congress are likely to affect interstate commerce prejudicially."

Briefs of Armour & Co. presented to Secretary Wallace and transmitted to the senate contended that the concentration would not hinder but would increase competition in the packing industry. Decisions interpreting the Sherman and Clayton anti-trust laws, the federal trade commission act and the packers and stockyards act were cited to support the proposed consolidation.

Government Retains Power.
That the government under the packers and stock yards act would retain power to prevent any improper reports of the merger was contended by Armour & Company.

Statistics regarding the meat industry were submitted to show that Armour and Morris during the past ten years had slaughtered 24.57 per cent of the total livestock in federal inspected plants, while Swift & Co. had slaughtered 22.39 per cent. Of

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WEATHER

ILLINOIS: Increasing cloudiness Wednesday becoming unsettled at night and Thursday; slowly rising temperature.

Temperatures.
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Tuesday were:

	7 p. m. High.	Low.
Jacksonville, Ill.	14	38
Boston	44	62
Buffalo	14	40
New York	42	42
Jacksonville, Fla.	60	62
New Orleans	14	15
Chicago	14	22
Detroit	14	22
Omaha	12	12
Minneapolis	0	2
Helena	-14	-10
San Francisco	52	56
Winnipeg	-14	-12
Cincinnati	20	30

**PASS MEASURE FOR
WAR FRAUD PROBE**
Washington, Dec. 12.—The \$33,000,000 appropriation bill for the departments of state and justice, carrying half a million dollars for investigation and prosecution of war fraud cases was passed today by the house without a record vote and with less than fifty members in attendance.

WANT STEPS TAKEN TO STOP LEAKS IN THE 1921 TAX LAW

Resolution Adopted
by Farm Bureau
Federation

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Recommendations that steps be taken to stop the leaks in the 1921 tax law, including stock dividends, and that the issuing of all tax free securities be stopped, were contained in a resolution adopted at today's session of the American Farm Bureau Federation. The Federation reaffirmed its stand against a general sales tax and for an income tax which would carry the bulk of the tax burden.

The resolution stated "insofar as it is practicable the taxes should be so laid as to tend to the distribution of wealth in the hands of the many and not to its concentration in the hands of the few."

The resolution recommended that all deductions allowed in figuring income taxes first be offset against tax-free income before any deductions are allowable on taxable income.

Country life without the farmer's rightful share in modern conveniences and necessities borders on pauperism and American farmers will not permit that. Gray Silver, representative of the federation in Washington said.

"Many persons say 'you are asking special privileges for the farmers,'" he said. "Thirty-eight per cent of the country actually live on farms and the number of persons in small villages and towns raise this total to more than fifty per cent. I can't see where special privileges can be granted to a majority."

Cooperative marketing will not be successful without financing and warehouse facilities Mr. Silver told the delegates.

"Farmers must sell their products as they are consumed, not by dumping twelve months' supply on the market at one time," he said.

"Mr. Silver credited with being one of the leaders in the organization of the agriculture bloc in congress said that since the formation of that group, measures beneficial to the farmers had been passed in a few months where they had lain in committee for years before."

CHRISTMAS GREENS TO COST LESS

New York, Dec. 12.—Christmas Greens this year will cost slightly less than they did last year, according to a report today by the state department of farms and markets. The report quoted prices on Christmas trees, holly and pine roping showing slightly lower prices than in 1921.

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A THOUGHT
Then were the disciples glad, when they saw the Lord.—John 20:20.
Can you then declare to us in what manner you have taken thought for your soul? For it is not likely that a wise man like yourself, and one of our state, would overlook the best thing you possess.—Epictetus.

THE CONSTITUTION OF 1870 STILL LIVES.
By the decisive vote of 3,874 to 1,722, the people of Morgan county in the election yesterday registered their opposition to the proposed new constitution. The vote was not a surprise to persons who have paid any attention to the trend of public opinion. In recent weeks as the proposed new constitution has been discussed, it was apparent that there was a great deal of opposition to the measure.
A part of this opposition was founded upon genuine objections and a part upon misunderstanding of the issues involved, or upon prejudice. No one can deny that the hostility to the constitution waged by Chicago interests had much to do with prejudicing public sentiment.
The Democratic organization of Chicago and the larger part of Republican influence was directed against the proposal. In recent weeks every mail down state brought its flood of literature telling the people why the constitution as proposed should be defeated. Some of this literature presented a fair discussion of the proposals and other literature made assertions and charges against it which could not be proven.
Be that as it may, the people have spoken and in a most de-

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cisive way. Many persons who were in favor of parts of the constitution voted against it because it was not possible to vote for any part without voting for the whole.
It seems unfortunate indeed that the constitution was submitted in this form. No good reason has yet been brought forward in explanation of the decision of the convention to submit the whole document instead of presenting it in sections and leaving the choice of the sections to the judgment of the voters.
This action is the more unreasonable when it is remembered that in New York a constitutional convention was held and ran thru a long period of months. The distinguished Elihu Root was the chairman of the convention and other men of great prominence took part in the deliberations as delegates. The constitution was subsequently submitted as a whole and was decisively defeated.
Deletes to the convention afterward stated that a great mistake had been made on their part in not submitting the constitution in sections or divisions. But the Illinois convention failed to profit by the experience of New York and the effort of the Illinois convention has met with even a more decisive turn down by the voters than happened in the Empire state.
One of the greatest factors in the defeat of the constitution was the talk about income tax. People have experienced such difficulties with the federal income tax that the very thought of similar experience with the state immediately turned their minds against the constitution.
Along with the thought of income tax came the belief that tax burdens would be increased and that the theory of bringing up intangible property for taxation on real estate, would not work out in any beneficial way. So far as Chicago is concerned, it is not surprising that the big city voted against limitation of its representation. Neither is there any surprise that in certain localities those who have profited thru minority representation waged a strenuous campaign to retain these rights. One might run alone at great length considering the different causes which contributed to the defeat of the proposed constitution. The constitutional convention was authorized. It met and had a long and varied career. The people have registered a most decidedly unfavorable opinion of the work of the convention. Now it is all history and the thing to do is to turn the attention to giving Illinois the best possible management of its affairs under the present constitution, which has served since 1870.
As has been said so often of governmental affairs, the ultimate results depend more upon motives and the men who interpret them rather than upon systems. It is possible to have very satisfactory conditions in this state if the majority but will that it shall be so.

ADD THREE WORDS A DAY TO YOUR VOCABULARY
Malodorous.
Adjective; pronounced mal-o-dur-us; accent on second syllable. Having a bad or offensive odor, either literally or figuratively; as, a malodorous reputation; a malodorous place of dirt and disease.
Effeminate.
Adjective; pronounced e-fem-i-na; accent on second syllable. Having the qualities of the female sex; soft or delicate to an unnatural degree; womanish; applied to men. Example: "A manish woman is not more loathed than an effeminate man."—Shakespeare.
Opprobrious.
Adjective; pronounced op-probri-us; accent on second syllable. Reproachful; abusive; infamous; ill-reputed; as, an opprobrious epithet or expression; or, "I will not here defile my unstained verse with his opprobrious name."

TRAVELING BAGS
Many styles. FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM
Let's Go
By Berton Braley
NOW is the time for all good men to do their Christmas shopping;
Do not wait till the stores are full of a mob that's wildly hopping.
Now is the time for the women, too, ere the crowds grow rough and surly,
To take their pocketbooks in their hands and shop for Christmas—early.
NOW is the time to buy the toys and the various decorations
You plan to put on the Christmas tree for the Yuletide celebrations.
Now is the time to get the gifts for your friends and family,
Before the aisles of the many stores are jammed to the 'nth degree.
NOW is the time you can pick and choose with a certain amount of leisure,
Selecting gifts that your friends will like and your kin will fondly treasure;
Have a heart! Do your shopping NOW and spare the clerks the worry
Of serving you in a surging mob of folks in a frantic hurry.
NOW is the time you can purchase things in the proper Christmas spirit,
Before the job is a mad stampede or something pretty near it;
Start right now and the "Christmas Rush" is one you can aid in stopping,
Now is the time for all good folks to do their Christmas shopping!

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FUNERALS
The funeral of Allen W. Baldwin was held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Williamson chapel. Reverend M. L. Pontius was in charge of the services and he Odd Fellows had charge of the burial service at Diamond Grove cemetery.
The Knights of Pythias quartet furnished music for the service. The quartet includes Dr. C. B. Magill, Benjamin Denny, Maurice Peekham, and James Gayette. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. E. L. Kinney and Mrs. Ollie Parker.
The bearers were Charles Roberts, William Crabbe, John Schofield, Thomas Massey, John Rowe, and William Thomason.

MAY BUILD MOVIE HOUSE IN THIS CITY
Litchfield Man here to Look For Site For Picture Theater—Is Experienced in Business.
W. R. Tippert, mayor of Litchfield, was a business visitor in Jacksonville yesterday. For a number of years Mr. Tippert has been the proprietor of a motion picture house in that city, which he recently sold. While not intending to leave Litchfield, he is looking for another location and was in Jacksonville yesterday to consider various sites here.
Mr. Tippert believes that a motion picture theater should be in an especially constructed building and that the increase of business resulting will more than pay for the larger investment. It is understood that his Litchfield property was recently sold for a price in excess of \$50,000 and is being operated as one of a chain of 10 theaters.
Mr. Tippert spent several hours with Secretary Welch of the chamber of commerce looking over possible locations.

ROUTT BOYS FIGHT BLAZE ON CARL ROOF
Routt College students Tuesday morning checked a blaze which had broken out on the roof of John Carl's residence, 588 East College avenue, due to chimney sparks. Regular firemen completed the task of extinguishing the blaze, after it had burned a hole two yards square in the roof. The fire was reported at 9:30 o'clock.

WITH THE SICK
Miss Eunice Mansfield of Franklin has entered Our Savior's hospital for treatment.
Miss Millie Stevens, somewhat improved from recent illness, left Passavant hospital for her home in the city today.
Mrs. Henry Scott, 844 West North street, is ill at her home, threatened with pneumonia.
Mrs. Prudence Baptist is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Lee, in North Diamond street. Her daughters, Mrs. Mary Sterrett and Mrs. Belle Rennie, arrived from Chicago, yesterday.

LA SALLE COUNTY VOTED NO ON CON CON
Chicago, Dec. 12.—LaSalle county, home of Charles E. Wood ward, president of the constitutional convention, joined others in rejecting the proposed basic law. The first 41 out of 75 precincts reported in the county gave 1,118 for the change and 10,815 against it.

Grand Theatre
Change of Program Tonight
Will Mysterious Smith Get Out of the Coffin TONIGHT
Furnished by Williamson's
Friday is Amateur Night
OLGA'S
Special Matinee for Ladies Only—**THURSDAY**
Men or Boys Will Not be Admitted to This Performance
Come Hear the Scandal No Children in Arms Admitted to Ladies' Matinee
In connection with Mysterious Smith Co. With Entire Change of Program
All Those who Sing, Dance or Recite, Leave Name at Box Office—Three Cash Prizes
Prices:—Children 25c; adults 35c—Tax included
Pictures 7:30 P. M. Curtain 8:15 Sharp

WRECK NEAR FRANKLIN CAUSES TRAFFIC DELAY
A wreck which occurred on the Burlington at 5:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at Apple Creek bridge two and a half miles south of Franklin caused considerable delay in the traffic on that road. The wreck was the result of a broken truck on one of the cars and eleven of the heavily loaded cars went off the track.
Several of the cars were overturned and the coal spilled across both tracks and completely blocking traffic. The wrecker arrived from Beardstown at about 10 o'clock and the task of clearing away the debris was not completed until late in the afternoon.
Altho freight traffic was completely tied up during the whole day, such arrangements were made that passengers from regular trains were transferred around the wreck and thus enabled to proceed on their journey.

PROPOSED CHANGES IN ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
The Following are the Proposed Amendments to the Illinois College Athletic Association.
Proposed amendments to the Athletic association constitution. Article 5, section 1. The Athletic association shall elect student managers for football, basketball, baseball, track tennis, and golf teams and shall also elect two assistant managers for football and one assistant manager each for basketball, baseball, track, tennis and golf teams.
Sec. 3. The football manager and assistant managers shall be elected on the Friday preceding Thanksgiving Day and they shall enter upon their duties immediately after their election.
Sec. 4. The managers and assistant managers of baseball, basketball, track, tennis, and golf teams shall be elected by the association at the same time the members of the Athletic council are chosen and they shall enter upon their duties at the close of the college year.
Art. 8. Sec. 3. The assistant managers of the basketball, baseball, track, tennis and golf teams shall, upon receiving the recommendation of their respective managers and the approval of their respective managers and the approval of the Athletic council, automatically become managers in their respective departments immediately upon the election of their successors. The assistant football manager who receives the recommendation of the football manager who receives the recommendation of the football manager and the approval of the Athletic council shall become football manager immediately upon the election of two new assistant managers.

By-Laws.
1. Members of the football team eligible for letters shall be those who have played one-quarter or more in each five or more regular games and who are ready and willing to play in the last game of the season.
2. Members of the baseball team eligible for letters shall be those who have played three or more innings in each of seven or more regular games and who are ready and willing to play in the last game of the season.
3. Members of the basketball team eligible for letters be those who have played a complete half or more in each of seven or more regular games and who are ready and willing to play in the last game of the season.
4. Members of the track team eligible for letters shall be those who have won a first place in any event in a regular meet; who have won six or more points in one regular meet; or who have won one or more points in the annual Illinois Interscholastic Athletic conference meet.
Centenary Bazar and Turkey supper, Dec. 19th.

GIRLS MAKE FINE MILLINERY AT I. S. D.
At the beginning of the present school term at the Illinois school for the deaf, millinery department was established to teach the girl pupils of the institution to make millinery. This department is in charge of Mrs. William Suhay as instructor.
Yesterday the department held its first exhibition of finished hats and those who visited the display paid many compliments to the ability of the girls of the class in designing beautiful millinery. The pupils will wear the hats they have designed when they go home for the holidays. They no doubt will surprise the homefolks, as the parents of the pupils have received no intimation that they have been studying this work.
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THIEF GETS BACON.
A side of bacon and some hogs heads and feet were the loot secured by a thief who Monday night entered the smokehouse of T. F. Martin, 1310 Lincoln avenue where the freshly butchered meat was hanging.
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DELAWARE TRIBE ELECTS OFFICERS
Members of Improved Order of Red Men Select Officers for Ensuing Term. Will be Installed at the First Meeting in January.
Members of Delaware Tribe, No. 78, Improved Order of Red Men elected officers for the ensuing term at the regular meeting held in the Wigwam Tuesday evening. The following were chosen:
Sachem—M. Spainhower.
Senior Sagamore—Wesley Smith.
Junior Sagamore—Herman Zeller.
Prophet—Albert Profit.
Chief of Records—S. R. Armstrong.
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Mrs. T. E. Miller of New York City, formerly Miss Lena Goebel of this city, is mother of an infant son, born Monday, according to word received here Tuesday. The boy has been named Robert Goebel Miller.
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GET \$96,000 IN BOLD HOLDUP

(By The Associated Press)
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 12.—In a spectacular holdup in the main lobby of the livestock exchange building today, three unmasked men obtained \$96,000 and shot Thomas Henry, credit manager of the Drovers National Bank. Henry, wounded severely in one thigh, is expected to recover. Henry was in charge of the five men sent by the bank to get

the money at a postoffice sub-station in the exchange building. They received the money in five packages. Joined by Jack Kelley, house detective, they started back to the bank.
As the bank messengers emerged into the main lobby, three bandits, waving menacing revolvers, commanded them to hold up their hands.
All complied except Henry who carried the largest package of money said to have contained \$40,000. Henry clutched the package and tried to evade the holdup men by entering an office

opening on the lobby. One bandit pursued and fired. Henry fell to the floor. The bandit grasped the package and backed out into the corridor where his two companions had taken money packages from the other messengers. One package containing \$4,000 was overlooked.
The bandits retreated to the street where one accomplice was waiting in a motor car and another was standing guard to prevent outside interference. The five men drove south at high speed.
Pursuit was not attempted. The car had been stolen two weeks ago, according to police records.

POLICE MAKE MISTAKE IN IDENTITY

(By The Associated Press)
CASPER, Wyo., Dec. 12.—Police today, after a thorough investigation decided that the woman arrested Monday night on suspicion of being Mrs. Clara Phillips was not the escaped Los Angeles "hammer slayer."
In many respects, points of resemblance between the woman at headquarters and descriptions of Mrs. Phillips were striking.
Newspapermen were given an opportunity for the first time today to talk to the woman. Today she was definitely identified as Beatrice Craig, of Kirby, Wyo. Police were convinced of her identity only after checking up her finger prints with those of the escaped murderer.

ACCUSES CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE

Washington, Dec. 12.—Charges were made today by Representative J. E. Kelly of South Dakota, before the senate agriculture committee today said that the Chicago Board of Trade has contributed \$100,000 to the organization of the American Farm Bureau Federation, one of the largest farmers organizations in the country.

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GENERAL OBJECTION TO INCOME TAX WAS WHAT CAUSED DEFEAT

This is Opinion of Henry I. Green, Member of the Convention

(By The Associated Press)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 12.—Defeat of the constitution which he said seemed overwhelming on the face of early returns was due principally to general objection to an income tax, Henry I. Green, chairman of the committee on submission and address, said tonight talking to The Associated Press over a long distance telephone from his home in Urbana.
"The constitution was too conservative for the radicals and too radical for the conservatives," Mr. Green said. "The wealthy man argued that he was now escaping considerable of his taxes and would have to pay more if the income provision went into effect. The poor man who paid no taxes didn't want to vote taxes on himself. The only way we could have satisfied the voters on this proposition was to have eliminated the income tax entirely."
"The constitution was a victim of tendency of the times to be against everything."

NOT APPROACHED ON DEBT CANCELLATION

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The United States has not been approached, directly or indirectly, in regard to cancellation of the French war debt or American participation with allied powers in the discussion of German reparations, according to an official authorized statement today at the state department.
Outside of this statement no comment is forthcoming in official quarters on press advices from London telling of the British intention to sound out the Washington government with relation to French debt cancellation as a possible means for solving the conflict of views among the powers which caused postponement of the council meeting over the year end.

Earlier the statement was authorized by the white house, that the reparation tangle was viewed by the Washington government as one of the most active, European difficulties.

SECOND NEGRO IS LYNCHED

(By The Associated Press)
PERRY, Fla., Dec. 12.—The second of two negroes arrested Friday in connection with the murder of Miss Ruby Hendry, school teacher, was lynched last night when Arthur Young was taken from the officers as they were attempting to transfer him to another jail.

Charley Wright was burned at the stake Friday night after a mob of several thousand men had taken him from the officers as they brought the two negroes into town.
The lynching took place on the highway leading to Madison, about seven miles from here and did not become generally known until today. Details came later.
Sheriff Lipscombs, it is understood, had received orders to remove the negro to another county. He admitted that he had been overpowered on the road and the negro taken. The negro's body was riddled with bullets and left dangling from a tree. Young, according to authorities, was exonerated by Wright of participation in the killing of Mrs. Hendry, and was being held for further investigation.

NO LIVES LOST

IN FLOOD
Duluth, Minn., Dec. 12.—Persons returning from the points of the Iron River today reported that apparently no loss of life had been caused to settlers by the flood which swept down the river early today when the Mud Lake power dam went out. P. J. Savage, editor of the Iron River (Wis.) Pioneer, told The Associated Press over the Long Distance telephone.

TRUN DOWN

COURT HOUSE BONDS
Vandalia, Ill., Dec. 12.—Indications tonight were that Fayette county voters had rejected a proposal to issue \$200,000 in bonds for the erection of a new court house here. The old state capitol building which has been used as the court house of Fayette county was recently sold to the state of Illinois which will make a museum of it.

OUT OF MOUTHS OF BABES.
"That place on the corner looks different from what I remembered," said a visitor.
"Yep," explained the small boy. "It used to be a saloon, but it's turned into an undertaking parlor since the probationary amendment."

"Mamma" queried small Lola, who was looking at the picture of an angel. "how do angels get their gowns on over their wings?"
Little Nettie had been ill for some time and one morning when the doctor called and inquired how she felt she replied: "Oh, I'm better, but I'm not quite so better as I was."

When a girl elopes with a poor young man her mother attributes it to temporary insanity.
Pity the man who is unable to distinguish between his friends and his enemies.

STOWAWAY FORCED OUT BY LACK OF WATER

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Feeble tapping on the wall of a dark, airless, sand filled compartment in the hold of the Steamship Pittsburgh, when the vessel was six days out from Bremen, led to the discovery of Christiana Wilhelmina Klingeman, 41, a stowaway who having lived for nearly a week on bread and sausages was forced to crawl out of her hiding place after having gone three days without water.

The woman was detained at Ellis Island today. Officials said she had crossed as a stowaway on the Steamship Wurttemberg last May and had been sent back to Germany.
Miss Klingeman explained that she had been a stewardess on German steamers six years before the war but had been unable to get employment since. She said she came here to join three cousins in California.

TWO SUSPECTS HELD FOR WHISKY RAID

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 12.—Two men Arthur Scott and John Thielbar of Peoria, were under arrest by federal authorities today in connection with the recent raid on the Liberty Yacht company's warehouse, formerly the Old Globe Distillery, Peoria, Ill., in which 35 barrels of whisky were stolen. Scott who was engineer of the looted plant in an alleged confession admitted having "framed" with Peoria and Pekin men in the robbery, federal officers announced. Scott is charged with conspiracy against the United States government and Thielbar with possession and sale.

Tailors say there's nothing in the theory of the survival of the fittest, as the misfits stay with them the longest.

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ASBURY

Asbury Aid society will hold a bazaar and supper at the church Thursday evening, Dec. 11. A cordial invitation is extended to all.
Mrs. W. E. Barrows and Mrs. Carl Hembrough were guests of the Woodson Household Science club meeting held at the home of Mrs. Harry Trotter last Wednesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott and Edward Horton of Jacksonville were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Craig.
Mrs. Wallace Hembrough was a guest of the Asbury Aid society at the home of Mrs. E. J. Reynolds Thursday.
Mrs. Harry Trotter spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Robert Reid in Petersburg.



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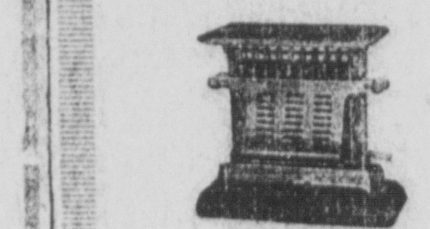
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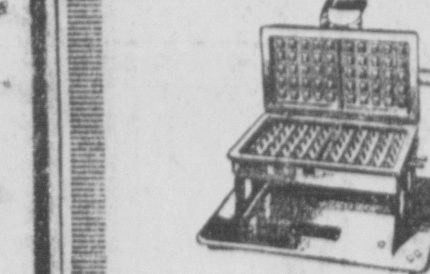
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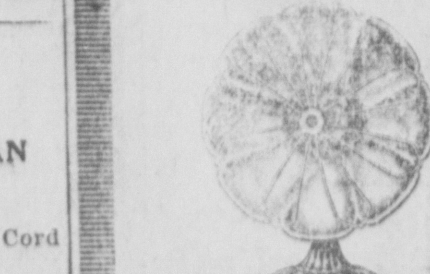


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The Day In Washington

(By The Associated Press)

Senator Simmons, Democrat, re-introduced the soldier bonus bill vetoed by President Harding.

President Harding signed the bill authorizing the retirement of Associate Justice Pitney from the supreme court bench.

Development of the Mississippi river was urged by Governor Parker of Louisiana before the house flood control committee.

The senate passed the annual treasury appropriation bill in practically the same form in which it was approved by the house.

The department of agriculture estimated this year's total cotton production at 9,964,000 bales.

It was indicated at the white house that the United States regarded with concern the failure of allied premiers to reach an agreement on German reparations.

Republican leaders decided to give rural credits, when a bill is ready for consideration right of way in the senate over the shipping bill.

President Harding and his advisors decided that the administration was not obligated to act on the proposed Armour and Morris packing merger.

The annual supply bill for the departments of state and justice carrying a provision of \$500,000 for the investigation and prosecution of war frauds was passed by the house.

The house judiciary committee began its hearings on the Keller impeachment charges against Attorney General Daugherty and agreed it would be unnecessary to call Chief Justice Taft as a witness.

lean committee for devastated France.

Immediately after he had spoken he motored to the Steamer Paris in which he sails home tomorrow. The tiger of France received ovation after ovation. He spoke only about ten minutes, explaining that he "was tired, had a sore throat, and wanted to go to bed."

In his remarks he said he had accomplished his mission and that he hoped he had given the American people matter to ponder on.

Mrs. John Boddy of Markham visited the city yesterday.

CLEMENCEAU BIDS AMERICA FAREWELL

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Surrounded by friends of France, in a hall festooned with the intertwined flags of America and his own land, Georges Clemenceau tonight came to the end of his "peace mission" and took leave of the United States.

He appeared in the grand ball room of Hotel Pennsylvania, before 1,300 members of the Amer-

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BRIEFS

(By The Associated Press)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The British freighter Steamer Orterio, plying against Fish Rock, north of San Francisco, was reported filling with water today and her crew of 55 was being transferred to two rescue ships standing by.

BEHAVIOR, Ill., Dec. 12.—The 51st session of the Illinois State Grange convened here today, State Master E. A. Eckert of Mascoutah, presided, and about 15 members were present.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 12.—Reduction of coal rates to 55c a ton is required of the Peoria & Rock Island railroad and the Peoria Railway Terminal company, in an order issued today by the Illinois Commerce commission. This rate will affect transportation of coal from mines about Peoria, Pekin, Bartonville, Acme, Wesley and Sucrene.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 12.—A union was granted the Elgin Joliet & Eastern railway company today after a month's illness. She was born in the United States and retained her American citizenship.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 12.—Proposed advanced telephone rates sought by the Vermilion County Telephone company have been ordered suspended until March 30, 1923, by the Illinois Commerce Commission, it was announced today.

NORTHAMPTON, Eng., Dec. 12.—Mrs. Irene Osgood, novelist and playwright died at her home here today after a month's illness. She was born in the United States and retained her American citizenship.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 12.—Authority to issue and sell \$12,000,000 of its capital stock was granted the Commonwealth-Edison Company of Chicago by the Illinois Commerce Commission, it was announced today.

PANA, Ill., Dec. 12.—Central and southern Illinois experienced the coldest weather of the season today when the mercury dropped to seven degrees above zero.

MURPHYSBORO, Ill., Dec. 12.—Fire of undetermined origin today destroyed the garage of the Murphysboro Motor Sales Co., and forty three automobiles. The loss was estimated at \$50,000.

GALESBURG, Ill., Dec. 12.—Thieves looted two stores at Onondaga, near here, last night, obtaining several hundred dollars' worth of merchandise. They made their escape in a car which they took from a garage.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 12.—The supreme court this morning granted Attorney General Brundage leave to file disbarment proceedings against Attorney John Looney, of Rock Island, former publisher of "The Rock Island News," a periodical which the attorney general recently named as a "purveyor of scandal." Looney is under indictment on four counts, for alleged participation in vice activities in Rock Island.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 12.—Pecanians shivered and numerous cravie motorists found their automobiles useless this morning, while Springfield tried to acclimate herself to the sudden cold wave, which bore the mercury here down to seven degrees above zero. Twice before in the last decade zero weather has come several days sooner than this.

COVINGTON, Ky., Dec. 12.—Preparations to make 500 prohibition agents, equipped with bombing planes and machine guns for an onslaught on the mountain stronghold of "Bob" Ballard's band of "Menfice county moonshiners," are being made by federal authorities. Fifty prohibition agents were repulsed after two of their number had been shot and killed in a 3 day siege of the moonshiners near Slate Creek.

ELGIN, Ill., Dec. 12.—The first blast of real winter roared into Elgin today, on the heels of an all right gale. The mercury this morning touched zero, for the first time this winter, mounting but little during the day. Coal supplies here are plentiful.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Charles Piez, former director of the United States Emergency Fleet Corporation yesterday secured a license to wed Miss Laura S. Cooke of Laurel, Md., formerly his secretary. The marriage will be the second ceremony entered into by the couple, it was said, as Mr. Piez and Miss Cooke were married within a short time after the former obtained a divorce from his wife. The second marriage, friends said, is necessitated by the Illinois divorce laws, as Mr. Piez was granted his decree in this state.

FIRE DOES BIG DAMAGE IN ESTERVILLE.
Esterville, Iowa, Dec. 12.—Fire today destroyed five business houses here causing a loss of \$75,000 and resulting in the death of Charles Norby, proprietor of two grocery stores, and the injury of Roy Jones, county treasurer and two other men.

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GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE NO ACTION IN PROPOSED MERGER

(Continued from Page One.)

the total meat production in 1921 of 16,159,000,000 pounds, it was said Armour produced 10.43 per cent and Morris 5.23 per cent.

Figures on subsidiary products also were given in part.

The Armour briefs emphasized that the consolidation "will permit economies to be effected in and thru administration of the business the manufacture and distribution of its products and the increased volume of business thru its facilities as will place the company in a position to more efficiently and best serve the public and the producers of livestock."

The brief also contended that the facts in the acquisition of Morris & Co. "will not only not result in the placing in one company a dominating power over the packing industry, but demonstrate that the company will control a relatively small percentage of the business."

More than 75 per cent of the total business it was said would be in the hands of more than 1,000 companies, great and small, actively competing with Armour & Co.

GAINES WEIGHT:
SUES R. R. COMPANY

Kansas City, Dec. 12.—For alleged increase in weight from 160 to 375 pounds, which she claimed was the result of a railroad accident, Mrs. Lorene Caldwell was awarded \$1,000 damages against the Chicago and Alton railroad by a jury in federal court today.

Mrs. Caldwell had asked for \$50,000. The basis of her suit was the allegation that an accident in which she was struck by a switch engine of the defendant railroad company Dec. 1, 1920, had halted the proper functioning of her endocrine gland and caused her to gain 215 pounds in weight.

RETIRE BUSINESS MAN BURNED TO DEATH

Serantun, Iowa, Dec. 12.—Thos. Lewis, 65, a retired business man was burned to death in his home this morning. His sister who resided with him was at the home of a brother, at the time of the fire.

MORGAN MAN CHICAGO POLICEMAN 20 YEARS

James H. Jumper, former Morgan county "sident, has passed the twenty ath year mark of his service as a member of Chicago's police force. He is eligible to retire at half pay, but will continue at his post in West Park in preference.



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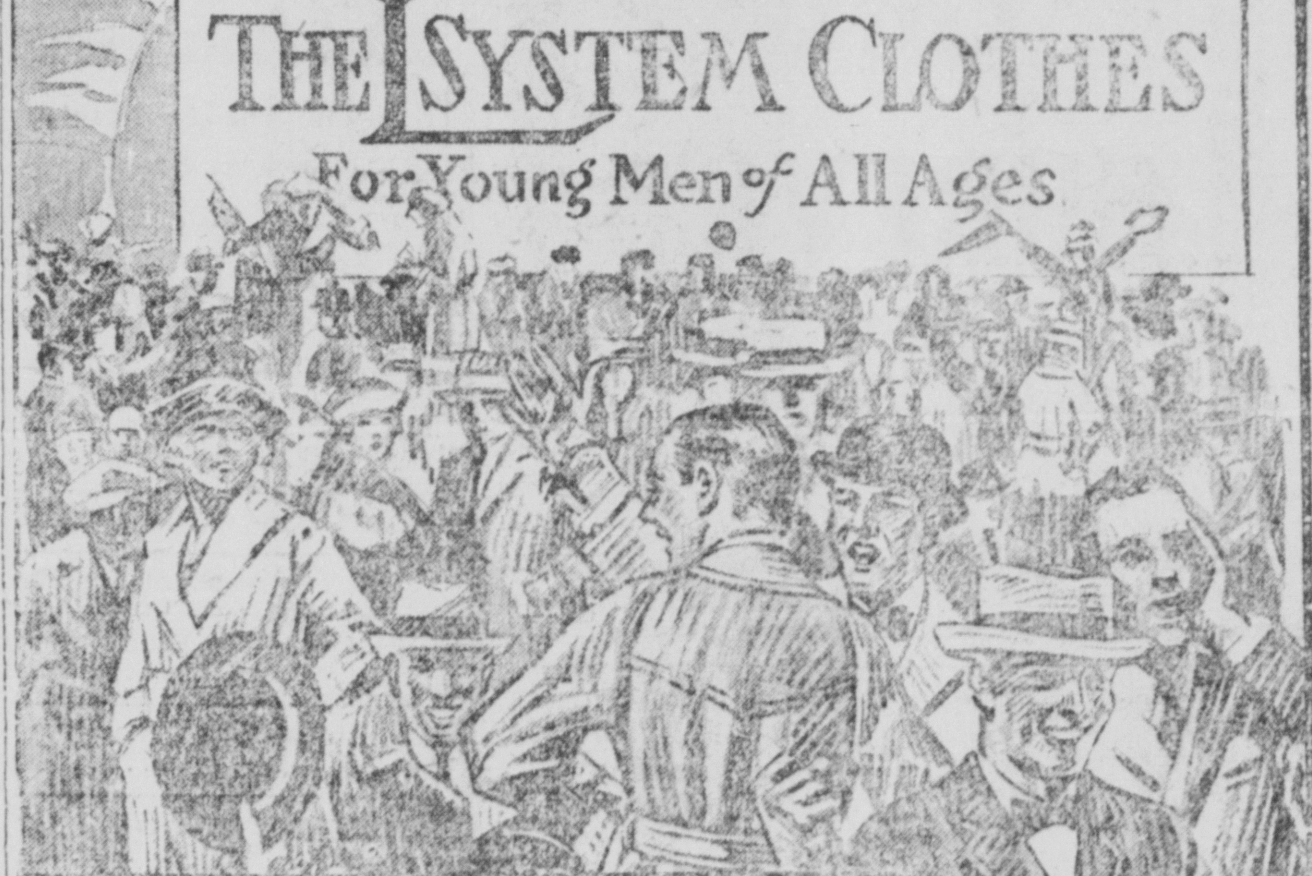
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JACKSONVILLE ILLINOIS

Social Events

Fast Noble Grand

Club Entertained
Mrs. G. R. Bradley entertained the members of the Past Noble Grand club of Carlin Lodge No. 25, at a Christmas party last evening at her home on Mound avenue. Mrs. J. J. Reeve, Mrs. Clyde Singley and Mrs. Pearl Ebbey were the assistant hostesses. A pretty Christmas tree was the center of the evening and each person received a little gift. During the evening Miss Ruth Bradley played a group of musical numbers. The rest of the evening was devoted to a general good time and the hostess served excellent refreshments in keeping with the holiday season.

Hostess

Mrs. E. D. Herald was the hostess to the members of the South diamond club yesterday afternoon at her home on Edgemoor road. This was the regular meeting of the club and only the

members were present. A pleasant social hour was spent and during the time the hostess served refreshments.

Anatole France to Be Studied At History Class

Anatole France, well known French writer of the day, will be the subject of the program at the meeting of the History class this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. O. Vosseller on West College avenue. Mrs. J. W. Walton is the program leader and those who will assist her are Mrs. E. P. Brockhouse, Mrs. W. A. Fay and Miss Grace Carter. The program will include the story of the life of Anatole France and brief reviews of a number of his best known books. The afternoon will end with a pleasant social hour and refreshments will be served.

Club to Have Christmas Party

The U. C. T. Woman's Club will enjoy a Christmas party this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Cannon on South Main street. Mrs. Lloyd Rose is to assist the hostess in entertaining today and the affair will be delightful holiday event. The Cannon home is to be prettily decorated with Christmas greens, holly and holly and a Christmas gift bag is to be the feature of the meeting. Each member will take a gift and these will be put in the bag and later distributed among all the guests at the party. The hour will be devoted to a general good time with games and music and refreshments will be served during the afternoon.

Annual Supper and Bazaar At Brooklyn Church

The annual bazaar and chicken pie supper of Brooklyn M. E. church was held yesterday. In the afternoon the bazaar was conducted and a large number of attractive holiday articles were for sale. In the evening an excellent chicken pie supper menu was served and about one hundred and seventy-five people were present.

Mrs. J. E. Bossarte was the general chairman of the bazaar and supper and the following committees assisted her:

Chicken pie—Mrs. Belzer, Mrs. Peastall, Mrs. Curtis.
Potatoes—Mrs. Proffitt, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Crabbe.
Pie—Marie Goleen, Mrs. Gehring, Salad—Mrs. Whitlock, Mrs. Schofield.
Coffee—Mrs. Henley.
Bread and butter—Mrs. Fetter.
In charge of bazaar!
Aprons—Mrs. Sheppard, Mrs. Sanders.
Fancy work—Mrs. Henley.

Candy and market—Young ladies of the Rainbow class.

Gave Program

The members of the Oeocia Camp Fire Group gave a program last evening at Oak Lawn Sanitarium. The entertainment was full of fun and merriment and the audience enjoyed and appreciated it greatly.

The first number of the program was the presentation of a farce comedy entitled "Wild Nell, the Post of the Plains." The musical program included popular songs played and sung by the girls. A social hour and the serving of refreshments ended the evening.

The members of the Oeocia group include Misses Eleanor Stoldt, Allen Rabjohns, Toinette Cully, Marjorie Kitter, Margaret Marshall, Helen Dumas, Margaret Piepenbring, Melba Moses, Mary Bayless, Georgia Terhune, Ruth Leavenworth and Louise Wiseman.

Entertained Bridge Club Tuesday Night

The Thursday Bridge club held a Christmas party at the home of one of its members, Mrs. Henry Smith, 305 North Diamond street, Tuesday evening. Six o'clock dinner was served and a Christmas tree, beautifully decorated was a feature of the evening. Each member of the club received a gift from the tree. Following the dinner several tables of bridge were played, the prizes being won by Mrs. Ed Bazale, Mrs. Thurman Haskell and Miss Theresa Deutsch. The Smith home was prettily decorated for the occasion, red and green being the predominating colors in keeping with the Christmas season.

College Science Club Holds Election

After comparative inactivity for the first months of the college year, the Science club of Illinois College held a well-attended meeting at which officers were elected to guide the policies of the club for this school year. The place of meeting was at the home of Helen Cleary, 212 Sandusky street, at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening.

Celestine Hemphill was elected to preside over the sessions of the club, Arthur Howells is vice president, Dale Stingley secretary, Glenna Smith librarian, William Headen treasurer and Helen Cleary chairman of the program committee.

Light refreshments was served by the hostess at the conclusion of the business session.

Surprise in Honor of Mrs. Della Fanning

Mrs. Della Fanning was very pleasantly surprised at her home on Independence Avenue when about fifty friends of hers walked in to celebrate her birthday. She received many useful gifts. The evening was pleasantly spent in music, dancing and cards. At late hour an elaborate supper was served. All journeyed to their homes wishing her many more happy birthdays.

MATRIMONY

Brewer-Daly
The marriage of E. A. Brewer and Miss Margaret Daly was solemnized in this city at 12:45 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the parsonage of Central Christian church, Rev. M. L. Pontius officiating. The bride and groom were unattended.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Daly who reside northwest of Chapin, but has for the past two years made her home with Prof. and Mrs. J. G. Ames in this city. She has many friends both in this city and her home community, all of whom unite in wishing her well.

The groom is a son of Samuel Brewer of Chapin and is well and favorably known there. He and his bride will begin house-keeping in Chapin. Their many friends will unite in extending best wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ford of Greenfield were on the local register of Tuesday visitors.

CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS

"Ready Maids" Elect Officers

The "Ready Maids" of the First Baptist church met Monday evening at the home of Miss Mabel Bacon on West College avenue. The evening was spent enjoyably with games and music and excellent refreshments were served by the hostess. During the evening there was a business meeting and the following officers were elected:

President—Edith Doughty.
Vice President—Lula Wood.
Secretary and treasurer—May Edmonds.
Membership committee—Mabel Bacon.
Social committee—Ada Vasey.

Pagant at Westminster

The members of the Sunday school of Westminster church are planning a Christmas Pageant to be given as a vesper service on the Sunday before Christmas, December 24th. The scene which will be depicted is the pagant centers around the journey to the manger in the stable at Bethlehem.

Mrs. Thomas Smith is the chairman in charge of the pagant. Miss Eleanor Moore is the chairman of the costume committee and those assisting her are Mrs. W. C. Bradish, Mrs. H. C. Wolman and Miss Catherine Barr. John Russell and E. F. Shafer are to have charge of the properties. All the children in the Sunday school are to take part in this Christmas pagant.

Queen Esther Enjoy Christmas Party

The Queen Esther class of Centenary church enjoyed the annual Christmas party last evening in the church parlors. The rooms were prettily decorated in Christmas holly and bells and there was a little Christmas tree around which gifts were exchanged during the evening. The regular program was given and Miss Mabel Biggs led the devotional services. Miss Helen Bergstrom was the program leader.

A social hour with Christmas games and music closed the evening. Refreshments were served by the hostesses of the evening who were Miss Helen Phelps, Miss Luella Gabbery and Miss Nora Endsley.

Christmas Bazaar at Trinity Today

The members of the Woman's Guild of Trinity church will hold their annual Christmas bazaar today in the parish hall. Aprons, fancy work, novelties and all sorts of Christmas gifts will be on sale to tempt the holiday shopper. A market is also to be a feature of the day and home made foods in great variety will be sold. Mrs. Harry Edgerton is the president of the Guild and the general chairman of the bazaar.

Grace Fellowship to Meet

The Young Woman's Fellowship of Grace church will meet this evening in the social rooms of the church. Luncheon is to be served at 6:30 o'clock and Mrs. Will Hall is to be in charge of the affair. After the serving of an excellent supper menu there will be a business meeting and plans will be discussed for the coming year. The rest of the evening will be spent in a social way.

Catholic Ladies' Aid To Meet

The Ladies' Aid society of Our Savior's church is to be entertained this afternoon by Mrs. J. H. O'Donnell at her home on East State street. The business meeting will be the most important part of the afternoon and plans will be made for the Christmas market to be held within the next two weeks. There will be an enjoyable social hour and the hostess will pass attractive refreshments.

To Entertain S. S. Class

Miss Helen Hansen is to entertain the members of Mr. Lent's class of the Grace church Sunday school on Thursday evening at her home on South Sandy street. This is a class composed of about twenty-five young people and all of the guests are anticipating a gay time. The decorations for the event will be Christmas greens, holly and other pretty trimmings. The evening hours will be spent with games, music and a general good time and excellent refreshments in keeping with the holiday season will be served.

Congregational church members will assemble this evening for their annual meeting at which all annual reports will be given and plans blocked out for the coming year. The pastor, Rev. G. E. Stickney, will preside.

The meeting will be preceded by a chicken pie supper served by the members of the Ladies' Aid society under the general direction of Mrs. T. P. Carter, president of the organization.

Special music for the occasion is promised, an orchestra directed by Prof. R. O. Bussey, being on hand.

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11 a. m. to 2 p. m.
Big plate dinner, 30c
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Try DeSilva's famous
Chili 10c
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BIG CONTRACT FOR ELECTRIC POWER SIGNED

C. I. P. S. Company to Supply Big Ben Coal Corporation

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The largest coal mine electric power contract ever entered into in Illinois was signed today by the Central Illinois Public Service Company and the Old Ben Coal Corporation. The Central Illinois company will supply the entire power requirements of the coal company which operates twelve of the largest mines in Illinois, the twelve mines mining 6,000,000 tons of coal a year. The contract is for ten years and the electricity bill of the coal company will annually amount to half a million dollars.

The Central Illinois company is making connections with the system of the Old Ben corporation at West Frankfort, Illinois. With this connection the Central Illinois company will have an aggregate of 73 mines being operated by the electricity obtained from the company, thus making the Central Illinois one of the largest coal mine power companies in the United States.

ILLINOI LODGE HELD SESSION TUESDAY

Impressive Program When W. L. Fay Was Presented Fifty Year Jewel—Matthew Minter Chairman of Arrangements Committee.

A ceremonial of more than usual interest in Odd Fellow circles took place at I. O. O. F. temple on East State street last night when W. L. Fay was presented with a fifty year jewel. Matthew Minter, who a year ago was accorded a like honor, was the chairman of the occasion and addresses were made by Rev. M. L. Pontius and Col. O. C. Smith.

Appropriate remarks were also made by Mr. Minter, who has so long been a prominent figure in Morgan county I. O. O. F. circles. After the presentation of the jewel Mr. Fay responded, expressing his interest in the great order and his appreciation of the honor shown.

Mr. Pontius in his address dwelt to some extent upon the value of fraternal organizations and the good influence exerted by the I. O. O. F. upon character building and for civic righteousness. Then he spoke in a most complimentary way of Mr. Fay, basing his statements upon an eight year's acquaintance.

After the formal program adjournment was taken to the banquet room, where an excellent supper was served. Then came informal talks with Mr. Minter presiding as toastmaster. Reference was made to the fact that he and Mr. Fay had known each other for not only fifty years but even from their very boyhood days.

Among those who spoke briefly were the toastmaster, Mr. Fay, J. Marshall Miller, P. G. Stein, Judge W. E. Thomson and John Minter. The committee in charge of the ceremonial event included Matthew Minter, J. Marshall Miller and P. G. Stein. The supper arrangements were made by D. A. Shadd, John Peterson, Walter Brown and their able assistants.

The jewel awarded Mr. Fay is in the form provided by the grand lodge. The figures "50" are studded with tiny diamonds and are suspended from a gold pendant. Illini lodge has an unusual number of members entitled to the 50 year jewel recognition.

Bazar and turkey supper at Central Christian church Thursday, bazar sale at 2 o'clock, supper will be served at 5 o'clock. Tickets one dollar.

DEPALMA THRU SPEEDING ON ROADS

Madera, Cal., Dec. 12.—Ralph Depalma, automobile racer and county jail inmate for nine days, was ordered released today by the Madera parole board which cut twenty-four from his ten day speeder's term for good behavior.

"Speeding!" I'm thru as far as the highways are concerned," Depalma said. "No one was in danger from me but there can't be two kinds of laws."

rection of Mrs. T. P. Carter, president of the organization. Special music for the occasion is promised, an orchestra directed by Prof. R. O. Bussey, being on hand.



Mack's Silverstone

No. 49313. Grand Champion Spotted Poland China Boar of Morgan Co. fair this year. I will breed a few sows for outsiders with this great hog this fall. A litter of pigs out of this hog will help your herd. Breeding stock for sale at all times.

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MOUNT EMORY BAPTISTS ELECT S. S. OFFICERS

The annual election of the Mount Emory Baptist Sunday school, held recently, resulted in the following slate of officers and teachers for the coming year:
Supt.—Mrs. Medora Bryant.
Asst. Supt.—Mrs. Alice Scott.
Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Bessie Duncan.
Secretary—Miss Alice Douglas.
Asst. Secretary—Grace Moore.
Treasurer—Mrs. Hattie Mosley.
Choir leader—Miss Susie Lynch.
Organist—George Parker.

Primary Department.

Supt.—Mrs. Pauline Moore.
Asst. Supt.—Mrs. Anna Snowden.
Secretary—Grace Moore.
Organist—Bernice Mosley.

Teachers in both departments:
Rev. W. Henry Snowden, Mrs. J. R. Scott, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Bell Muse,

Mrs. Amelia Sharpe, Mrs. Emma Williams, Mrs. Clara Mosley, Mrs. Hattie Mosley, Mrs. Snowden, Mrs. Bessie Duncan, Mrs. David L. Duncan, Mrs. E. D. Hayden, Mrs. Ellis Moore, Miss Susie Lynch, Miss Alice Douglas and Miss Reon Hamilton.

THE TEA TRAY 60c Supper Daily MENU TONIGHT

Vegetable soup, steak, French fried potatoes, salad, plum pudding.

LOUIS RUTHERFORD IN BED WITH BAD BRUISES

Attempting to operate a chain windless with horse and wagon, Louis Rutherford, who lives near Riggston, was knocked off the wagon and painfully bruised

when the chain snapped and struck him a blow on the left hip and side. Members of the family came to his assistance and called a physician. Rutherford will not be able to get about for several days.

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See our big line of doll buggies, beds, dolls, autos, velocipedes, wagons and toys of all kinds. New, up to date goods at pre-war prices. PEOPLES Furniture Co., So. Sandy St.

Raymond Lynn and T. H. Sanders of this city motored to Piper City the early part of the week and will remain for a few days.

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Many had no intention of buying — and when they said so they were not solicited to buy. But after seeing the HOOSIER they decided they could not afford to go on doing their work in the hard, old fashioned way.

They took advantage of our special sale terms and had both the HOOSIER and the FREE cutlery set put in their homes on payment of \$1.00. Now they wouldn't part with their HOOSIERS at any price.

You'll feel the same way once you realize how wonderfully helpful the HOOSIER is—how badly you need it.

But don't delay. We can't promise that our supply of HOOSIERS and FREE cutlery sets will last the week out.

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Don't fail to stop in our east room and see the bargains in auto accessories. Come if you are a stranger, and get acquainted, and my old friends stop and see Charlie.

We still have some more Havoline Oil at \$3.25 per 5 gallons. Special Offer:—Let us drain your car and fill it up with Yankee Motor Oil, and we will give you free 1/2 gallon of oil and if you let us do this you will be another one of our Yankee Oil users.

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COOPERATION PAYS IN EUROPE ADAMS SAYS

President of Agricultural Editors' Association Tells American Farm Bureau Representatives—England is Single Exception.

CHICAGO.—(By A. P.)—Cooperative agricultural organizations in foreign countries, with one exception, are paying big dividends through increased prices for products which farmers sell,

and lower prices for the articles they purchase, asserted Samuel Adams, president of the American Agricultural Editors' association, speaking before the American Farm Bureau Federation. Mr. Adams visited Great Britain, Norway, Sweden, Holland, Finland, Denmark, Germany, Switzerland, Belgium and France, as a representative of the federation, to study agricultural organizations and laws.

Great Britain was the one country in which agricultural co-operation is not a success due, he stated, to the fact that "it was organized by the government ap-

propriations and not thru a demand from farmers."

"In every country visited," said Mr. Adams, "I was told that their future civilization depended upon the farmer and that it was necessary to build up a land owning farming class to stand between the radical workers and reactionary capitalists and nobility. This explains in a large measure the cutting up of great estates and apportioning them to former tenants and laborers."

"In Norway, less than six per cent are tenant farmers compared with forty per cent in this country. In Sweden, the Farmers' political party is a factor in protecting the farmers' interests, while in Finland, the government has purchased much land and is cutting it up into 80,000 small farms."

"The farmers of Denmark sell ninety per cent of their products thru co-operative societies and in Germany the farmers are thoroughly organized. In France the Union Centrale des Syndicates de France has a membership of 1,500,000 with 11,000 affiliated societies."

Mr. Adams spoke also of the work of Ernest Laur, president of the Swiss Farmers' league, who, he said, saved them from ruin by having the government bear a portion of the loss on export dairy products, which declined in price during 1922, following increased production at the government's request.

WOMEN "BUDDIES" WORK THRU RED CROSS

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO.—Girl "buddies" of the American doughboy in France—canteeniers, hospital hut workers, Salvation Army lassies and others—are to continue their work for former service men thru the American Red Cross, declares Miss Anna Hoyt, national chairman of the Women's Overseas Service League. The united strength of the organization has been tendered the disabled soldier and his family, according to Miss Hoyt.

"We know, as women of tried patriotism," said Miss Hoyt, "that we have something to offer the former service men not possible by other workers. We have a grounded knowledge of him, a bond of common memories, and undying admiration for him and his sense of our understanding."

The league also is working with the welfare section of the war department, said Miss Hoyt, pointing out that last summer it supplied forty-five volunteer hostesses at summer training camps.

The proposed plan of service for disabled service men, as outlined by Miss Hoyt follows:

In hospitals, finding entertainment for patients, providing wholesome outings, finding a market for the products of occupational therapy and shopping as well as doing other errands for patients.

In the rehabilitation service, assisting the Red Cross when men are discharged from hospitals, to connect them with normal life in finding them positions, lodging or convalescent care.

In the family life, by assisting

RETURN OF YOUNG COUPLES IS BLOW TO MOTHER'S CHILD MARRIAGE IDEAS



"MARRYIN' BUNCHES": ABOVE, JOHN, 16, AND HIS 13-YEAR-OLD BRIDE. BELOW, RIGHT, GOLDIE, 14, AND THEIR MOTHER, MRS. RHODA BURCH.

By NEA Service

Kansas City, Kas., Dec. 12.—Early marriage is losing one of its greatest supporters—"The marrying bunches."

"Times are changing. Maybe it's better now to wait longer," says Mrs. Rhoda Burch, whose four married children wedded before they were 16. Her doubt is aroused by the fact that Goldie, who wedded last year when 13, is home seeking a divorce, and John, who is 16, and married a 13-year-old girl, is also suing for separation.

It was a hard blow to the early marriage theory of Michael and Rhoda Burch, who eloped when Rhoda was 16. It may hold back the marriage of Robert, now 12.

Michael Burch, minister and stonemason, whose home is also built so it can be used as a chapel Sundays, has considered his children of marriageable age when they got into their "teens."

All Wed Early.

Flossie, oldest daughter, married when 15 years old, at the altar in the

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said, only those that perform real service would survive.

A total gain in membership of 50,000 members and organization of thirteen new granges in the state were reported by Mr. Eckert.

The cooperative marketing association is the only solution of the marketing problem, the master said.

Cooperative marketing calls for a cooperative marketing he added.

RIPPLES WITHOUT RHYMES

Warm, dry feet, a cool head, and a well ventilated sleeping room will do much to promote good health.

An Illinois man in a small community kept three cows, and delivered milk to his neighbors. Typhoid fever had occurred in the town from time to time. Recently several cases occurred at one time, and a laboratory examination showed that the milk man was a carrier, and was infecting his milk with the germs of typhoid fever. He had had the disease forty-three years ago, and was still a carrier. Pasteurization prevents the spread of any disease in milk.

"Prophetstown, Illinois," says the Princeton Record, "reports a sweeping epidemic of smallpox. The disease in most cases is light in form, numbers its victims by the score. Only two of the rural schools in the township are now open."

Over 5,000 persons at Sterling and Rock Falls have been vaccinated within the past two weeks. A large number of people were recently exposed to smallpox while attending a funeral.

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ILLINOIS STATE GRANGE MEETING

(By The Associated Press)

BELVIDERE, Ill., Dec. 12.—The future is brighter for the farmers but they have a long hard road to travel before they get on an equal basis with other interests, E. A. Eckert, of Mascoutah, Illinois, master of the state grange of Illinois told the farmer members of his organization at their fifty first annual convention today.

World conditions must improve, he said, before the farmers can hope for the full measure of prosperity due them.

Revision of Illinois' school, road and revenue laws was asked by the state master in his address and a demand for economy in expenditure of state funds was voiced.

"Farm conditions have not materially changed in the past year," said Mr. Eckert. "It is true that grain prices have advanced, but most of the necessities the farmer has to buy also has advanced in price. The future appears brighter for the farmer but he will have a long, hard road to travel before he gets to be on an equal basis with other interests. The manufacturer will stop or at least curtail production if there is an over-supply and thereby keep up the selling price of his goods in order to have a sufficient net profit."

"The labor unions have demonstrated to a certain extent that they will not work unless they receive war time wage or nearly so, but the farmer has been plodding along, producing more than the country could take at a price which would not net him a profit on his investment and a living for himself and his family, according to American standards."

"We have not produced more than the world needs, but European countries are our best customers for farm products and they are not financially able to buy our crops at a price that would give us a fair compensation for our toil. Until world conditions improve we cannot hope for the full measure of prosperity that is due us."

"The Illinois legislature will convene January 3. It says that the farmer has been bearing more than his share of the taxes. If so now is the time to be heard. Let us demand economy in state appropriations, revision of the school, road and revenue laws."

The state master said the most cordial relations existed between the state grange and the farm bureau and that the farm organizations have multiplied rapidly in the past five years, there is a special work for the grange, the farm bureau, the agricultural college and the farmers' institute each to perform.

Among farm organizations, he

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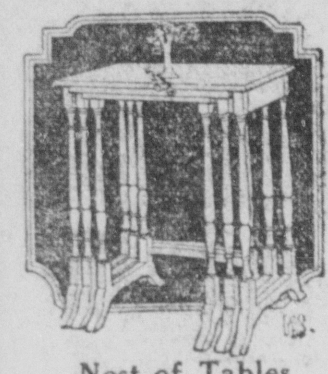
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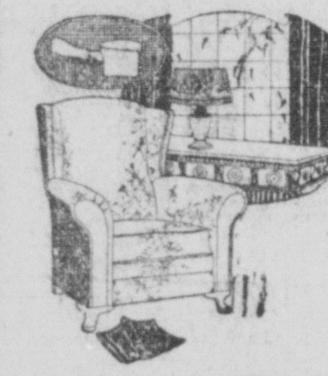
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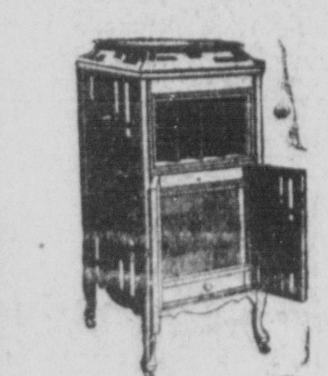
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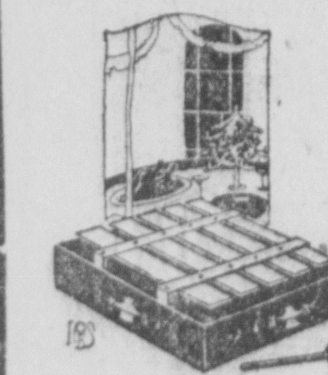
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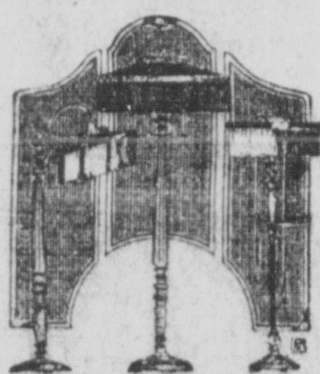
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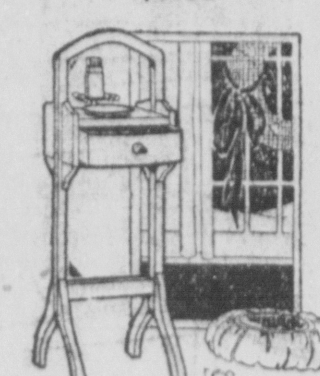
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NO DIFFERENCES JOHNSON SAYS

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—All reports concerning a difference of opinion between K. M. Landis, baseball commissioner, and Ben Johnson, president of the American league, were dispelled by

Johnson today before his departure for New York to attend the American league meeting there tomorrow.

President Johnson declared he was in full accord with the administration of Commissioner Landis that the commissioner stands 1,000 per cent in my estimation, but that certain club owners in the major leagues were attempting, thru propaganda, to start a

controversy between himself and the commissioner.

"I have no quarrel with Landis and have never criticized his office and will not so long as he does his duty to baseball," President Johnson said.

The executive said he would attend the joint meeting of the major league club owners scheduled for New York Thursday and would present reports from private detective agencies which investigated gambling in baseball.

"I am going to make a report on the unrestricted gambling that has been going on and I believe Judge Landis will support me in my stand to stamp it out."

"If the club owners will give their aid in exterminating this evil it can be accomplished."

Due to the desire of the New York and Detroit clubs for additional time in which to complete improvements to their parks, President Johnson said the club owners probably would vote to start the season April 18, a week later than usual altho he favors the season a week earlier than this date.

FLORENCE TO LEAD GEORGETOWN U

Washington, Dec. 12.—Paul Florence, Georgetown's left end, was elected captain of the university's football team for the year. He came to Georgetown after being graduated at the academy at Chicago.

He has played left end for Georgetown two years.

Big League Season To Open April 17

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The selection of Tuesday April 17 as the opening date for the 1923 pennant race of the National League was the principal feature of the annual meeting of the senior baseball organization today. In making the announcement John A. Heydler stated that the National League magnates were unanimously in favor of opening the season a week later than had been the case in recent years.

Weather conditions have proved more favorable for baseball early in October than the forepart of April during the recent seasons, according to Heydler and it was thought desirable to change the date to conform. Playing a schedule of 154 games and allowing for the usual number of open dates the league executive expressed the opinion that when the schedule was completed it would show the closing date as Sunday, October 7. This would bring the opening game of the world series on or about Tuesday, October 9, he said.

When asked if this later opening also would be observed by the American League, Heydler said that he knew of no reason why there should be a difference of opinion on the matter. He stated that a conference with two major leagues so understood the situation.

The greater part of today's session was devoted to routine business including the president's report as well as those of the board of directors and the treasurer. The 1922 pennant was officially awarded to the New York club and the team also congratulated upon winning the world series. The club owners approved the plan to erect a monument over the grave of Captain Adrian C. Anson in Chicago. The selection and detail was left to the president.

Appropriate resolutions also were taken upon the death of Morgan G. Bulkeley, Hartford, the first president of the National League.

In his annual report President Heydler stated "if anything was needed to stabilize the sport then that need was adequately supplied by the recent decree of the United States supreme court ratifying the legality of the reserve clause and upholding the right to make ineligible those who for any good reason deserve disqualification."

There were no trades of importance completed and only one sale of a player officially reported. This sent Walter L. Holke, first baseman of the Boston Braves to the Philadelphia Nationals in a cash deal.

RUPPERT PURCHASES HUSTON'S INTERESTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Colonel Jacob Ruppert officially announced today that negotiations for the transfer to him of Colonel T. L. Houston's half interest in the New York Yankees had been virtually completed and that within a week he would be sole owner of the American League champions. The club, including the Yankee Stadium has an estimated value of \$3,000,000.

Colonel Ruppert's announcement was followed by authoritative reports that the Yankees had closed a deal with White Sox to trade Aaron Ward, Bob Meusel and a pitcher to the Westerners for Eddie Collins, veteran sacker, and Dick Kerr, southpaw pitcher.

It was said that official announcement of the trade would be made at tomorrow's session of American League club owners. The only possibility of a hitch in the deal as now outlined, centers around Kerr who must secure reinstatement from Commissioner Landis.

Ward played second base and Meusel in the outfield for the Yankees last season. It was reported that Colonel Ruppert would receive \$1,500,000 for his holdings.

O'ROURKE WOULD STAGE SLAUGHTER

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—Tom O'Rourke, New York boxing promoter, wants to stage a return bout between Jack Dempsey heavy weight champion and Jess Willard, former champion, according to a statement tonight by Gene Doyle, one of Willard's representatives.

Doyle said Ray Archer, Willard's manager today received a telegram from O'Rourke announcing he was "mailing Willard a registered letter offering to stage a bout between him and Dempsey at the Polo Grounds in New York in May."

WOMEN'S OPEN GOLF TOURNEY AT EXMOOR

Chicago, Dec. 12.—The women's

Western Golf championship will be played over the course of the Exmoor Country Club in Chicago, next summer, Mrs. J. W. Douglas, vice-president of the Women's Western Golf association announced today. The date of the event is tentatively set for August 26.

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The child was inspecting the guest, with that frankness that characterizes children of four.

The guest—a good sport—who understood children, was submitting gamely to the inspection.

"My papa said sumpin' about you, Mister."

"Indeed? I hope it was something nice."

"He said, my papa did, that you had sumpin' above your eyes 'sides hair."

"Well, that was fine! He meant to say I had brains! I thank him for the compliment."

"I was just finkin'." Went on the child, looking at the man's shining dome, "it's a good thing you has brains, or they surely wouldn't be no true in what my papa said."

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Morgan Voters Against Proposed Constitution

In Total Vote Majority Against is More Than Two to One—1754 for and 3911 Against Proposition—Great Variance of Opinion is Shown in the Different County Precincts

The election on the proposed new constitution brought out a total vote of about 4,500 in Morgan county. The people recorded themselves as strongly opposed to the document, the Morgan county vote being practically something more than two to one against the proposition.

The opposition was recorded in a great majority of the precincts, although there were a few exceptions. It is seldom that such decisive vote has been cast on any question as that recorded in a number of precincts. The opinions varied greatly in localities.

For example, in Concord the vote was, for 114 and 55 against; in Liberty 76 for and 9 against; while in the city of Jacksonville District No. 9 the vote was 141 for and 97 against.

In contrast with these figures in Jacksonville No. 1 but eight persons voted in favor of the proposition while 159 were against it. In No. 3 the vote was still more decisive, with 5 for and 170 against. In a number of outside precincts the opposition vote was almost as strong.

The total vote for the county is 1,754 for the constitution and 3,911 against it. The vote cast in all precincts is given below:

Precinct	Yes	No
Alexander	42	88
Ardenia	63	13
Centerville	10	51
Chapin, No. 1	30	99
Chapin, No. 2	34	74
Concord	114	55
Franklin, No. 1	18	65
Franklin, No. 2	51	94
Liberty	76	9
Lynnville	118	22
Markham	35	42
Mercedosa, No. 1	79	86
Mercedosa, No. 2	38	75
Murrayville, No. 1	33	55
Murrayville, No. 2	67	67
Nortonville	12	47
Pisgah	46	28
Prentice	32	37
Shinclair	32	25
Waverly, No. 1	35	134
Waverly, No. 2	35	73
Waverly, No. 3	24	117
Woodson	50	86
Jacksonville, No. 1	8	159
Jacksonville, No. 2	12	163
Jacksonville, No. 3	5	170
Jacksonville, No. 4	17	165
Jacksonville, No. 5	24	136
Jacksonville, No. 6	72	116
Jacksonville, No. 7	25	135
Jacksonville, No. 8	58	120
Jacksonville, No. 9	141	97
Jacksonville, No. 10	46	51
Jacksonville, No. 11	11	166
Jacksonville, No. 12	30	135
Jacksonville, No. 13	34	182
Jacksonville, No. 14	16	167
Jacksonville, No. 15	29	148
Jacksonville, No. 16	17	134
Jacksonville, No. 17	44	79
Jacksonville, No. 18	39	41
Jacksonville, No. 19	37	18
Jacksonville, No. 20	72	92
Total	1754	3911

CHARTER TRAIN ON C. P. & ST. L. ROAD

Merchants' Committee Will Run Excursion From Havana to Jacksonville Dec. 20th—Seek to Boost Local Business.

In order to increase interest in the gift campaign the committee yesterday arranged for a special train over the C. P. & St. L. to be run Wednesday, Dec. 20. This special train will leave Havana at 8:30, arriving in Jacksonville at about 11 o'clock. A special fare of \$1.50 will be made from Havana and a lower fare from intermediate points. Returning the train will leave Jacksonville at five o'clock p. m., ample opportunity being thus given for shopping in local stores. The committee has chartered the train and the low fare mentioned is thus made possible.

Jacksonville Chapter No. 3 R. A. M., will hold a special convocation this evening at seven thirty. Work. Visiting Companions welcome.

John B. Seibert, E. H. P. John R. Phillips, Secy.

WANAMAKER DONATED BOOKS TO COLLEGE

The death of John Wanamaker at his home in Philadelphia yesterday brought to the minds of a number of local people the fact that he was a donor to Illinois college, the local institution having received a gift of about fifty books from him two or three months since. The volumes Dr. Rammelkamp said yesterday form a valuable addition to the college library.

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WINNERS IN POULTRY SHOW KNOWN TONIGHT

Journal Tomorrow Will Have Complete List of Prize Winners, Prize Displays and Sweepstakes.

Judging of fowls was practically ready for count and tabulation last night at the Morgan county poultry show, it being mostly a matter of mathematics to select the prize winners from the cards now prepared, giving the score of each bird on each judging point.

Frank Tarbill of Havana, known thru the state as an accurate judge of stock and poultry, is judge of the show, and turned out score cards for the birds at the sufficient rate of one every two or three minutes.

By tonight all winners will be known, including not only individuals, but displays of ten or more, and the grand sweepstakes. On the "biggest and best display" prizes in each class, it has been found necessary to divide the prize between the biggest display and the best display, unless they should be the same. Absolute fairness is the rule, as the awards are mathematically determined, and there was no other way of making these particular awards accurate than by such a division.

An interesting arrangement of grains into miniature fields, about which a mechanical train runs, is the contribution of the McNamara-Heneghan company to the exhibit, and suitably fills the front window space.

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E. A. Brewer, Chapin; Margaret Daly, Chapin.

MISS MACKNESS RETURNS

Miss Carrie Mackness, who has been living with her aunt, Mrs. Robert Ingalls in Waukegan, Illinois, for the past two years, has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Mackness at 1303 West College avenue.

REFUSE TO SEAT REPRESENTATIVES OF WORKERS' PARTY

Resolutions Adopted for Future Political Action

(By The Associated Press) CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 12.—Refusal to seat representatives of the Workers Party of America, adoption of resolutions for future political action, which did not mention the formation of a third party, a broad program of organization and the naming of a national executive committee of 21 members, were the results of two sessions today of the second conference for progressive political action.

The question of seating four representatives of the Workers Party was quickly disposed of this morning when the credentials committee in a supplemental report, declared that "since the Workers Party was not in harmony with the conference its representatives be not seated."

The report was adopted without debate.

The purposes of the conference, as declared in the report of the organization and finance committee was the nomination and election of presidents and vice presidents of the United States, senators, congressmen, members of state legislatures and other state and public officers, "who are pledged to the interests of the producing classes and to the principles of genuine democracy in agriculture, industry and government."

Meetings of the conference are to be held annually, representation being from "every national and international organization, organization of farmers or co-operative societies, state federations of labor, legislative boards of transportation organizations, and labor."

It is provided that as soon as possible the national committee shall call conferences of farmers organizations, labor unions, co-operative societies and other progressive political forces including individuals in each state for the purpose of perfecting permanent state organizations.

The report of the resolution committee presented by Edward Keating, a former congressman from Colorado, and characterized by him as embodying the best of many resolutions, presented to the committee and the shortest political program ever presented in American politics was adopted after prolonged debate and parliamentary difficulties.

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It is said that Smith is the only man in the world who has successfully performed this feat and has created much excitement and favorable comment in both this and foreign countries. It is expected that the theater will not be large enough to accommodate the crowds tonight.

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BY HORTENSE SAUNDERS
NEA Service Staff Writer
Rochester, N. Y.—The world's proudest and happiest mother is one whose son confronts constant privation, ever-present danger and is in peril of facing a firing squad. She is Mrs. Charles E. Wheelwright, mother of Eamon DeValera, Irish republican leader.

ANDREW McMICKEN DIES AT RAWLINS

Deceased Was Husband of Former Jacksonville Young Woman.

Mrs. G. A. Sieber of 1019 Grove street has received a telegram informing her of the death of her brother-in-law, Hon. Andrew McMicken of Rawlins, Wyo. Mr. McMicken was for years a prominent attorney in Rawlins. His wife was before her marriage Miss Nellie Cannon of this city, and her marriage to Mr. McMicken occurred in 1889.

The deceased is survived by his wife, a daughter, Helen, at home, and son Revel, who is now city attorney of Rawlins. He leaves also three sisters who are resident in Cincinnati, Ohio. The funeral will be held in Rawlins tomorrow.

High grade Gladstone and Kit Bags. FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

At the Grand theater one of the biggest mysteries of the age will be produced tonight, when Mysterious Smith will permit himself to be placed in a coffin which will be furnished by Williamsons, local undertakers, after first being strapped into a regulation "straight jacket" put on by a committee of well known business men. The coffin will then be securely strapped and sealed and from this Smith has promised to make his escape within three minutes' time while the committee is watching to see that he has no help.

It is said that Smith is the only man in the world who has successfully performed this feat and has created much excitement and favorable comment in both this and foreign countries. It is expected that the theater will not be large enough to accommodate the crowds tonight.

This will be given in connection with his regular program and Mme. Olga, the mind reader, who will tell you what you want to know.

The capture and execution of Erskine Childers and other republican leaders having been completed, Irish Free State heads today are concentrating on the capture of De Valera, their most important foe. A cablegram any day may bring news of his death.

"If my son cannot live for his country and his cause, then what could be more glorious than to die for it," the mother asks proudly.

Doesn't Worry

"I do not worry about his safety because he is doing right. God will take care of him. But I should worry and grieve if he had betrayed his trust, if he had chosen a life of luxury."

"What material thing can be gained by sticking to his principles? Nothing. And what does he lose? Everything. The world holds dear—his position, his fortune, his friends, the companionship of his wife and the seven children he loves. But it's all for the freedom of Ireland."

"To be sure," she admitted, "I should like to know that he always had a comfortable place to sleep at night, that he had enough to eat and warm clothing, but these are material considerations. Cottage Her-Home

Mrs. Wheelwright lives in a small cottage. The exquisitely neat, her home reveals housework is not her only activity. Flowers, copies of masterpieces and quantities of books betray her tastes.

Mrs. Wheelwright has not seen DeValera since his last visit to this country.

"But he doesn't forget to send me a message whenever he can," she concluded.

MERCHANTS ARRANGE FOR END OF CAMPAIGN

Committee of Professional and Public Men Will Supervise Distribution.

The merchants' committee in charge of the gift campaign met last night and made some of the arrangements for the final day of coupon giving and the distribution of the 200 handsome gifts. It is the purpose to erect a platform on which the judges will be seated and thus have a point of vantage from which they can watch the operations as the gifts are being distributed.

The judges will be chosen from professional and business men of Jacksonville. The giving of coupons will close at 12 o'clock noon on January 3, and no coupons can be placed in the barrel after 1 p. m. on that date. Shortly afterward the gift distribution will begin.

Two barrels filled with coupon stubs will be placed in safety deposit vault at the Ayers National bank today and the third barrel is in service at the gift headquarters.

On the final day all coupons will be dumped into a big circular metal receptacle, equipped with a turning device. Prior to the distribution date a committee of well known citizens will enclose printed slips descriptive of the gifts in capsules. These 200 capsules will be of uniform size and of exactly the same outward appearance.

At the time of the distribution two children will be blindfolded. One of them will draw the coupon stubs from the great receptacle mentioned and the other will draw the capsules. The owner of the coupon drawn will then become the owner of the gift named in the capsule drawn at the same time.

After each coupon is taken from the great receptacle it will be turned over several times and the coupons thoroughly mixed. All arrangements will be such as to show the public the entire fairness of the proceeding.

Asbury bazar, fancy and useful Xmas gifts and oyster supper; begin serving 5:30.

RETURNS TO VERMONT AFTER 47 YEARS HERE

Frank Wheeler, who came to Morgan county 47 years ago to make his home, returned yesterday to Brattleboro, Vermont. He has not been back since coming to this county, and expects to find many changes in Brattleboro, a city of about 7,000 population. He will visit with relatives there for a time.

Stationery, Ivory Pieces, Toilet Sets, Choice Candies. GILBERTS'

SCOTT COUNTY AGAINST NEW CONSTITUTION

Winchester, Dec. 12.—A comparatively close vote on the constitution question was cast in Scott county today. Seven hundred and eighteen votes were recorded in favor of the proposal and 841 against. In some precincts a very light vote was cast.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; first floor. Phone 1187. 12-13-21

LOST—Crank off Hupmobile. Phone 859 W. Wilbur Jeffries. 12-13-21

FOR SALE—150 S. C. Red cockerels, pullets; hens and cock birds from Blue Ribbon winning stock F. L. Ledford, 653 East State street. 12-13-21

STAR CAMP SELECTED OFFICERS LAST NIGHT

Royal Neighbors Meet For Enthusiastic Term—Large Number of Members in Attendance.

Star Camp No. 171, Royal Neighbors of America elected officers at the regular meeting of the camp held in Woodman hall Tuesday evening.

There was a large attendance of members present and much interest was shown. The following were chosen:

- Oracle—Elsie Bigber.
- Vice Oracle—Grace Temple.
- Past Oracle—Olga Perry.
- Chairman—Della Correa.
- Recording Secretary—Mary A. Olds.
- Receiver—Jennie Vieira.
- Marshal—Mary R. Davis.
- Inner Sentinel—Martha Day.
- Outer Sentinel—Nellie Perry.
- Manager for three years—Lura Weatherford.
- Physicians—Dr. J. U. Day, Dr. E. D. Canatsey.
- Pianist—Virginia Pires.

You can save \$25.00; Brand New Ford Coupe, \$560.00 will take it. J. F. Claus, Motor Co.

HELD SOCIAL SERVICE MEETING AND ELCTION

Plans For Consecutive Christmas Giving Adopted by Various Organizations — Officers Elected — Organization Leader Coming

Plans suggested by the social service league for constructive Christmas giving have been adopted by Kiwanis and Rotary clubs, the Elks, and various church and other groups and organizations, according to reports made at the monthly meeting of the directors of the league last night. The meeting was held at the rooms of the league.

Officers for the coming year were elected to guide the work of the league. Rev. George E. Sickney is the new president. L. O. Vaught, vice president, Mrs. M. H. Havenhill secretary and A. C. Rice treasurer.

According to the plans for Christmas, the organizations interested will work thru the league to set families on their feet thru the Christmas time gift. This does not mean the abandonment of Christmas baskets, but the addition of an effort to enable certain families to raise themselves out of needy circumstances. The cheer of Christmas calls with heaped baskets will in no sense be displaced.

Another plan of the league is to remember all the charges of the league in state schools in various places. Mention by way of report and commendation was also given the Thanksgiving day work this year. A letter from a former president H. A. Perria assuring the league of his continued interest.

A report of the past month's work showed a total of 316 calls at the office and 586 other calls, which social service league aid was enlisted or given.

It was announced that Miss Ruth Hillis, regional director of the family welfare division of the country, will be in the city Tuesday, at which time an open meeting of the board will be held.

CEDAR CHESTS

Big selection, priced way down. Just the gift SHE'S been looking for and will appreciate. PEOPLES Furniture Co., So. Sandy St.

Attorney W. W. Wright was in Jacksonville yesterday on legal business.



What Shall I Give HIM For Christmas?

FEW men ever tell what they want for Christmas--they won't even hint--that's the man of it.

But we know--for it's our business to know.

As a matter of fact that's the way most men expect you to find out what they want; they expect you to ask us.

Many useful gift suggestions can be found in our varied stock

Interwoven Hose

Buy Them by the Box

Lisle Hose, per pair,	40c
Silk " " "	75c
Silk and Wool " "	\$1.00
Silk Clocked " "	\$1 to \$2.50
Wool " "	75c to \$1.50

Interwoven Socks

TOE AND HEEL

Hickok Initial Buckles and Belts

Silver Fronts and Sterling Silver Buckles

50c to \$2.50

HICKOK Belts & Buckles

MYERS BROTHERS

Fresh Shipment Nunnally's Candies

THE CANDY OF THE SOUTH

1 and 2 lb. Fancy Boxes

Suitable for Xmas Gifts

Last chance to buy a Fine Bristle White Ivory Hair Brush at about 25% reduction, This Week Only.

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Don't Forget we are the original Eastman Kodak Agency and carry a full stock of Best Selling Cameras and Kodaks and Supplies.

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RECEIVE RADIO REPORTS
FROM FAR AWAY POINTS

John Furry of 152 Caldwell street is a radio enthusiast who has a complete outfit installed in his home. Last night members of the Furry family were interested in receiving a weather report from Dallas, Tex., indicating that the thermometer stood at 44 degrees and that there was a steady drop in temperature. Later in the evening they heard a concert given by the

high school orchestra at Schenectady, N. Y., and were also able to hear Atlanta, Ga.

Annual election of the Morgan County Farm Bureau at the Farm Bureau office Thursday, Dec. 14th. Polls open from 10 to 4. Chicken pie dinner at Grace M. E. church at 12:30 P. M. Ladies welcome.

PROSECUTORS PLAN
PARLEY IN PEORIA

Program for December 27-28 Announced By Carl E. Robinson, President of State's Attorneys' Association.

State's Attorney Carl E. Robinson, who is president of the Association of State's Attorneys in Illinois, announced Tuesday the program for the annual convention of the association, to be held Wednesday and Thursday, December 27 and 28, at the Jefferson Hotel in Peoria. The program was arranged by the executive committee of the organization, and is as follows:

Wednesday, December 27 (Morning Session, 10 o'clock)
Remarks—Ernest J. Galbraith, State's Attorney, Peoria county.
Address of Welcome, Victor P. Victor P. Michel, Mayor, City of Peoria.
Response in behalf of Association—C. W. Reed, State's Attorney, DuPage County.
President's Annual Address—Carl E. Robinson, State's Attorney, Morgan county.
Report of Secretary-Treasurer—Ernest J. Galbraith, State's Attorney, Peoria county.
Appointment of Nominating Committee.
Luncheon.
(Afternoon Session, 1:30)
Review of Criminal Decisions—

Dean Albert J. Harno, Law School, University of Illinois, Discussion.

Charles E. Lauder, Warren County John H. Searing, Jackson County. E. J. Henderson, Woodford County. The Courts and the Crime Problem—F. Emory Lyon, Chicago. Report of the Auditing Committee. Report of the Nominating Committee. Election of officers.

Annual Banquet (Informal)
Wednesday Evening, 6:30 o'clock
Jefferson Hotel
Speakers: Mr. Justice Clyde E. Stone, Hon. Frank J. Quinn.

Thursday, December 28 (Morning Session, 9:30 o'clock)
Ways and Means of Enforcing Illinois Prohibition Act—A. V. Smith, State's Attorney, Lake County.
Discussion—
C. F. Evans, Macon County. Roy Kline, Champaign County. Lester Martin, McLean County. Confessions of Defendants—Scott Lucas, State's Attorney, Mason County.
Discussion—
Lee Seibenborn, Hancock County. T. L. McKnight, Green County. Chas. T. Randolph, White County. (Afternoon Session, 1:30 o'clock)
Open Forum—Jesse L. Deck, Deatur.

CANNOT FINANCE
FILTRATION PLANT

White Hall Not in Position to Build Filtration Plant at Present Time—Other White Hall Notes

White Hall, Dec. 11.—Mayor H. W. Roodhouse states that the engineer estimates place the cost of an adequate filtering plant for White Hall at \$18,000, and that the city is not in position to finance the undertaking at this time. The subject has come to the front in recent weeks in an incessant demand for action on account of the continued shortage of well water that would bring the filtering plant as a godsend at this time. Mr. Roodhouse adds that the electric proposition is being rapidly whipped into shape for early action by the voters, and that he finds sentiment stronger for the electric plant than for the filtering plant. However, he does not minimize the importance of the filtering matter, and hopes that early action can be taken that will insure such facilities as will give an ample supply of city water for household use. The supply in the city reservoir shows little effect of the insufficient rainfall of the past seven months.

C. E. Dodgson returned from Alton Saturday night flushed with another victory in the display of seven Rhode Island Red chickens at the Alton poultry show, an event ranking second only to the state show. Mr. Dodgson was awarded first on Cockerel, second and third on pen. The championship cup went to H. C. Wilhite on Black Langshan.

E. L. Wendell, Jr., has returned from a service of three years in the army, having been stationed at Camp Reserve, Columbus, O., in the signal department. He is not satisfied with army life in peace times, and it is not his intention to re-enlist. Young Wendell is not unlike his father in the possession of a wonderful fund of human knowledge gained thru a studious disposition coupled with a retentive mind. He will likely take up the study of some profession, such as law.

The marriage of Harry W. Eastham of Jerseyville and Miss Mamie L. Richards of Carrollton, was solemnized Friday afternoon last at 4 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Ethel Armstrong on South Carson street, the officiating clergyman being Rev. L. E. Ellison, pastor of the First Baptist church. The groom has been employed in the construction of the new high school here, and is well known hereabouts, this being his second marriage venture. They will reside at Alton.

NORTONVILLE

At the regular meeting of Fellowship Rebekah Lodge No. 25, held Tuesday evening officers for the ensuing term were elected as follows:

Noble Grand—Miss Nellie Fanning.
Vice Grand—Miss Esther Seymour.
Recording secretary—Mrs. Maggie Hungerford.
Financial secretary—Mrs. Annie McNeely.
Treasurer—Mrs. Norma Fanning.
Deputy—Mrs. Laura Seymour.
Trustees—Lon McNeely, Lloyd Cox, George Cox, Fountain Pond, Fletcher Seymour.
The Rebekah lodge met at the I. O. O. F. hall Friday with a few friends, all bringing their dinner and had a quilting for Mrs. F. O. Tribble, who is soon to move to Beardstown.

The following are on the sick list: Mrs. Ruth Stromatt and children, Opal Hungerford, Rudolph Tribble, Lawrence Clausen and Raymond Steele.

Earl Benda and family of Beardstown visited over Sunday with relatives here.
Mrs. Leonard Shelton and children Wayne and James Ellsworth of Jacksonville, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Moore Hereford.

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OLD JACKSONVILLE
IN EARLIEST DAYS

(BY ENSLEY MOORE)
Member Illinois State Historical Society

The date of Morgan's earliest settlement is somewhat conflicting in the early reports, but there is no doubt the Kellogg's were the first comers, 1818 or 1819. It seems as if 1818 were right. But there is no question about 1820.

John Bradshaw came that year, with Col. Joseph Morton. Morton came to the neighborhood of Alton in 1819, and raised a crop of corn in the first year in Madison county. In 1821, in company with Mr. Bradshaw he came to the new settlement in Morgan. Here he made rails to enclose thirty acres, quite a farm in those days. They went seventy five miles to mill, and hauled wheat to St. Louis. Mo., and sold it at fifty cents which was thought a good price. "Judge" Lewis Solomon of Macoupin county, in 1874, gave a history of the queer old plow his father brought from Kentucky in 1824, and which was placed on the table before him. The speaker had used that plow many a day. It was drawn by a horse named Pace, (a voice, "where is the horse?")

"He is gone where all good horses go." There were ten children, besides father and mother, and the old plow, and they all moved from Kentucky in a cart x x x He told of the difficulties they had in carrying their grain two days to mill, sometimes getting entirely out of provisions and nearly starving and illustrated the hospitality of the settlers to each other. x x x They endeavored to make all the corn and pork they could and that was their salvation."

"During the fall of 1820, sometime in December

Mr. John Bradshaw visited the settlement and marked out his claim on what was known later as the Warner farm and still

later as the Chesnut place, adjoining this city, on the south-east. He did not, however, remain during the winter, or make any improvements until the following Spring. x x x Col. Morton used a wooden cart in which there was no iron to be found, when hauling his rails and doing his farm work.

About the same time that Col. Morton and Mr. Bradshaw settled on their claims in this county, the Rev. Samuel Bristow, a Baptist minister, brought a colony composed of the Box, Reid, Curlock and Boyer families. These were organized into a church which was in all probability, the second religious organization in what afterward became Morgan county. This little colony settled about three miles northwest of the present city of Jacksonville, in the vicinity of Box creek, which derived its name from one of the families who settled near its banks, on what is now known as the McDonald farm. x x x The preaching of the Rev. Samuel Bristow was probably the first religious services of this kind held in that settlement.

The Methodist ministers are generally found with the advent of settlements, and are almost always among the pioneers proclaiming the good news of salvation.

It is not definitely known whether any were here during the years of 1820 and 1821. Mr. Huram Reeve says that the first Methodist preacher that he remembers being in the settlement was the Rev. Joseph Basey. Rev. Samuel Thompson was the first Presiding Elder here, and held a camp meeting on Walnut creek within the present limits of Scott county, in 1822 or 1823. Mr. Reeve remembers attending the camp meeting, and thinks his recollection is correct."

MRS. HENRY HIGGINS
IS CALLED BY DEATH

Aged and Well Known Resident of Winchester, Passed Away Tuesday Afternoon. Funeral to Be Held Thursday Afternoon

Winchester, Dec. 12.—Many will be sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Henry Higgins, who passed away at 5:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home on South Main street. Mrs. Higgins was stricken with paralysis Thursday afternoon and never rallied. The deceased was a woman loved by all who knew her. Her life was one of loving and unselfish devotion to home, family, and friends, a worth while life filled with kindly and loving deeds.

She leaves her husband, Henry Higgins; three daughters, Mrs. Wallace H. Kinison, Misses Mary and Martha, and one son, Harry Higgins, and one granddaughter, Miss Margaret Helen Kinison, all residing in the home. One sister and two brothers also survive: Mrs. Helen Taylor, of Springfield; Capt. William H. Weaver, of Petersburg, Ill.; and Louis W. Weaver, of Virginia. There are numerous other relatives and friends to mourn the death of Mrs. Higgins.

The maiden name of the deceased was Eliza Jane Weaver, and she was the daughter of Judge George and Martha Weaver. She was born in Cass county, August 8, 1841, and while a young girl the family removed to Beardstown. Here she spent her life until her marriage to Henry Higgins of Jacksonville on Dec. 21, 1865, the family home being established in Jacksonville.

In 1900 the family removed to Winchester, where they have since resided. The deceased was a member of the Episcopal church in Jacksonville.

The funeral services will be conducted from the late residence Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Winchester cemetery.

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WOODSON.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Kehl of Mexico, Mo., came Sunday night and will take up their residence here.

Mrs. Virginia Russel, who has been visiting relatives in Missouri the past few weeks, has returned to her home here.

Mrs. Ben Willis is ill at her home here. She is suffering from an attack of appendicitis, and is being cared for by Dr. R. R. Jones.

It was stated in a previous issue that a stereopticon lecture would be given Wednesday night at the Presbyterian church. This was in error as the lecture will be given Thursday night at 6:30 o'clock. There will be no admission charge but a free will offering will be received.

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HOMEMAKERS CIRCLE
OF FRANKLIN MEETS
The Homemakers Circle of Franklin met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Rees in Franklin. The attendance was quite large, several guests being present in addition to the

ALEXANDER CLUB
WILL MEET TODAY

Session of Woman's Club to Be Held at Home of Mrs. Hallie Gray—Other News Notes.

Alexander, Dec. 12.—The regular meeting of the Alexander Woman's club will be held today at the home of Mrs. Hallie Gray. The afternoon's program will include a paper by Mrs. William Kumble on "Where Shall We Live," and another by Mrs. J. J. Proffitt on "Housework Made Attractive and Easy."

Antong guests whom the hostess has invited to attend the

meeting today are Mrs. Massie of Franklin; Mrs. Wiley, Mrs. Fred W. Neal, Rachel Hall and Miss Mary cell of Alexander.

News Notes.
Mrs. Joseph Kumble of Jacksonville was an Alexander club member.

W. J. Cockin of Jacksonville spent Tuesday in Alexander business.

Mrs. W. E. Keenan of Blington is here visiting at home of her husband's brother C. E. Keenan and family.

Centenary Bazar and key supper, Dec. 19th.

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Each. 5c to \$1.50

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Scarfs and squares. 29c to \$1.98
Blue Bird Squares. 98c to \$1.98

TOWELS

Fancy Turkish Towels. 35c to 75c
Plain Turkish Towels. 22c to 59c
Huck Towels. 15c and 25c

SCARFS

Gents' Silk or Wool Scarf. \$1.48, \$2.00, \$2.48

SWEATERS

Ladies' Wool sweaters, all colors, all sizes, and good heavy qualities. \$3.25 to \$7.48
Children's Sweaters. \$1.59 and \$3.25
Knit Caps. 60c, 65c, 75c and 98c

SILKS

Satins, Taffetas, Crepe de Chine. \$1.50
Crepe Back Satin or Canton Crepe, 40" \$3.50
Velvet Knit in navy, brown and black. . . . \$3.25

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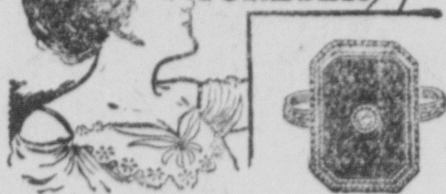
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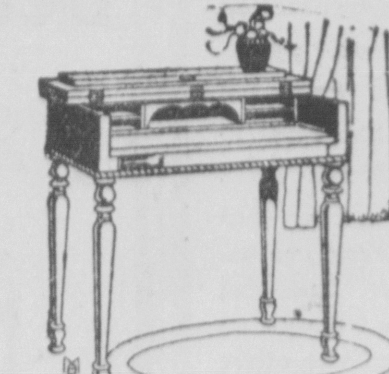
Flexible Flyer Sled, like cut \$1.00



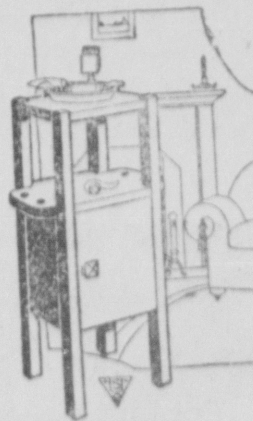
Mahogany Serving Tray 98c



Large Automobile, similar to cut \$6.95

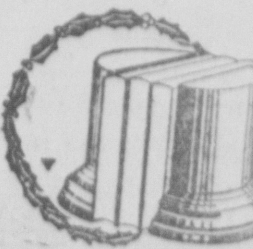


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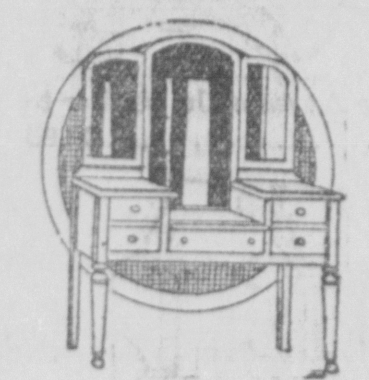
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OBITUARY

Chapin Dec. 10, 1922.
Sarah Elmyra Redshaw, daugh-
ter of Stephen and Mary Redshaw
was born near Merritt, Scott, Co.,
Illinois, August 30, 1861 and de-
parted this life at the home of her
daughter, Mrs. Ruth Calloway,
December 3, 1922.

She spent her girlhood and
young womanhood in Scott coun-
ty, being of bright, cheery
disposition and a devoted daugh-
ter. March 17, 1886 at Redshaw
home occurred the double wed-
ding of Joseph Redshaw to Miss
Julia Sappington and Sarah El-
myra Redshaw to John N. Funk.
Mr. and Mrs. Funk established
their home just a mile north of
her father's home near Pin Oak
school where joy and love reigned.
Several years later a daugh-
ter Ruth Maude came to bless
that happy home, binding the ties
which for 36 years have stood
firm and unbroken. Ruth be-
came the idol of her mother and
as the years rolled by they be-
came inseparable companions,
sharing their joy and sorrows to-
gether. The loving husband and
father completes that once hap-
py circle.

At the age of 15 Mrs. Funk uni-
ted with the Manvaisterre Bap-
tist church and has been a faith-
ful Christian teaching her daugh-
ter the love and truth of our Di-
vine Father and resting in her
cold fingers yellow with age is
the good book from which she
loved to read the words of our
heavenly father in the church and
home. She was a faithful work-
er in the church as long as there
were services in the old church,
and her home was always open to
welcome the minister of gospel,
relatives, neighbors and friends.

In 1905 the family moved to
Chapin, Ill., their present home
and transferred her membership
to the Christian church of that
place so as to be in the same
church with her daughter and
husband. She was a loving and
true wife and mother, always
looking after the welfare of her
daughter and husband.

Sunday she with her husband,
and other guests, were invited to
the home of her daughter to take
supper. Arriving a few hours be-

fore the other guests, she helped
in preparing the meal and was un-
usually happy as was the custom
when in her daughter's home, as
she loved to help her and mother
was always ready and willing to
assist and in all of Ruth's un-
dertakings, mother stood back of
her. As the guests arrived, she
was greeting them with that
pleasant voice and sweet smile.

Another guest, the Angel of
Death, unseen was hovering over
that happy gathering and as the
clock chimed 6, appeared claim-
ing her soul and took flight in an
instant to that beautiful home
above where gates of pearl were
open waiting and she was ushered
into another happy gathering
with her loved ones gone before.
God in his wisdom has called an-
other one of his children home,
leaving the husband and daugh-
ter with torn and bleeding hearts,
asking why mother was taken
from them without a moment's
warning. The happy circle was
torn asunder to never be replac-
ed on this earth for Mother
Funk's life was at a close; she is
at rest. But sometime we hope
to understand and meet mother
in the skies.

Mother Funk's life was spent
for others. Never was an act of
kindness refused anyone, always
happy when working for others,
the task was never too great. If
any member was sick she was the
first to minister to them, often
times she needed more attention
than they, but never complained.
There is a vacant place in the
home that can never be filled.
How the dear sweet voice is miss-
ed, the cheerful words that had
such tender meaning.

Mrs. Funk was a good neigh-
bor, true friend and what more
can we say than she was a good
woman? Her life points the
sweet lesson of love of home, of
companionship of reward of faith-
ful toil rendering unto God the
things that are God's and now is
at rest with her heavenly Father
above.

She leaves to mourn her loss:
her husband and daughter, Mrs.
Ruth Calloway, two sisters, Mrs.
William Middendorf of Merritt,
Ill.; Mrs. George W. Hogan of
Winchester, Ill.; two brothers,
Joseph Redshaw of Merritt, Ill.,
and William Redshaw of Win-
chester, Ill. One brother, Dr. B.
F. Redshaw, died October 4, 1910.
The father, Stephen Redshaw,
passed away May 29, 1910. The
mother, Mary A. Redshaw, died
April 3, 1916. A nephew Paul
D. Redshaw, departed this life
October 1921.

Funeral services were con-
ducted from the late residence Wed-
nesday at 12:30, December 6,
1922, before a large gathering of
relatives, neighbors and friends.
Services were in charge of Rev.
Frank Drake of White Hall, as-
sisted by Rev. F. M. Crabtree.
Rev. Drake very impressively told
of the high esteem in which she
was held, the purity of her Chris-
tian character and her love of her
home. While he was 3 years pas-
tor of the Baptist church of which
she was a member, her home
and the Redshaw home was his
home. He gave comforting words
to the loved ones that sometime
there would be no parting. Rev.
Crabtree spoke very touchingly of
Mother Funk's life for others and
for her daughter Ruth and the
home and church. He gave very
eloquently two poems which were
very suitable to her life. A mixed
quartet composed of Mr. and
Mrs. Monte Funk, John Taylor,
and Mrs. Neta Taylor sang very
beautifully, "Sometime We'll Un-
derstand," "Going Down the Val-
ley," "When they Ring those Gold-
en Bells," with Miss Ruth Hutch-
es at the piano.

The many beautiful flowers
were cared for by Misses Adella
Hamilton and Nellie Calloway;
Messdames Gertrude Coulson, Daisy
Vannier, Dessie Smith, Lois Wil-
liams, Mayner Taylor and Marie
Blair. Active pall bearers were
nephews of deceased: Frank Red-
shaw, Russel Redshaw, Alpha
Porter, Hunter Funk, Floyd Red-
shaw and Harlan Redshaw. Hon-
orary pall bearers: Richard Van-
nier, George Coulson, H. O. Smith,
Fred Middendorf, Charles A. Tay-
lor and William Fisher.

Those attending from a dis-
tance was Mrs. William Davis,
Rev. B. F. Drake, White Hall, Ill.;
Miss Ellen Waltrip and Mrs. Bee-
be, Wrights, Ill.; Mrs. John
Thompson, Mrs. Roy Thompson,
Mrs. Elias Taylor, Miss Jeanette
Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas
Keikman, Misses Nerva and Kath-
ryn Esles and Newton Gillham
of Winchester, Ill.; Mrs. Isaac
Moxon of Jacksonville, Ill.

Just one week ago you left us,
How we miss you, Mother dear,
And remember all your kind-
ness.

As you drop a silent tear,
Gone, dear Mother, gone for-
ever—

How oft we miss your loving
face;
But you left us to remember
None on earth can take your
place.

Forget you? No, we never will;
We loved you here, we love you
still.

Like in you the weathered oak,
When all things else decay,
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anese army.

A memorial is to be erected in
London to the 112 British army
chaplains of all denominations who
fell in the world war.

Among those receiving pensions in
France there are 830,000 in-capitated
soldiers, 447,000 widows and orphans
and 413,000 parents.

A large consignment of bees has
arrived in France from Hanover as
payment in kind from Germany for
the destruction of bee-hives in the
Vosges.

The First City Troop, of Philadel-
phia, Pa., the oldest military organi-
zation in continuous existence in the
country, recently celebrated its 148th
anniversary.

Approximately 1,600 senior non-
commissioned officers in the United
States army are to be demoted.
Loss in pay and prestige will be
suffered by the men.

As a result of the world war the
French Pension Office has received 2,
500,000 claims for pensions or allow-
ance, of which number 1,712,000 were
granted.

Mobile, Ala., is known as the "City
of Five Flags." Since the city was
founded it has been under the gov-
ernments of Spain, France, England,
the Confederate States and the
United States.

The American Relief Association
in Europe is caring for and bearing
the expense of the transportation of
21 former American soldiers destitute
in Germany. Seventeen of them have
German wives and children.

Because of the 12,000 unadjusted
claims in Pennsylvania, 677 posts of
the American Legion in the State
will co-operate with the United
States Veterans' Bureau during the
coming years to help disabled war
veterans.

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night.

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just closed the most successful sea-
son in its history have fought their
last battle on the high school grid-
iron. These six are seniors who will
graduate next spring, being Harold
Thompson, Bob Shaw, Arthur Dill,
Raymond Watkins, Allan Ligon and
Ted Merrill. Claude White of the
second string will also graduate next
spring.

This does not signify by any
means that R. H. S. will not possess
a formidable aggregation next sea-
son. Coach Hill will have left of
this year's all-star team the follow-
ing players: James Phillips who has
been elected captain of the team for
next season, Joe Whitworth, Minor
Mannaford, Glen Ferguson and Ralph
Reese, all tried and true veterans.

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Walter Giller and George Ruyie, sec-
ond line men who have been pushed
into the play during hard fighting
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will make a quarterback hard to
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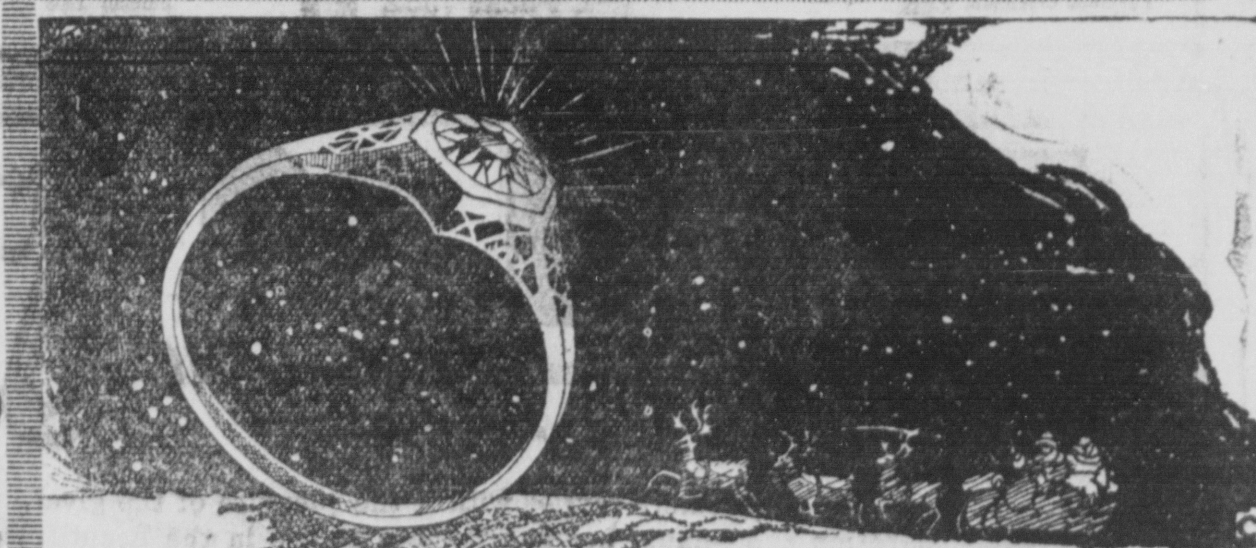
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end on Great Northern preferred
was likely to be maintained
brought about some good buying
in the railroad group but early
gains were materially reduced.

Great Northern preferred led
the advances in rails, touching 81
and then dropping back to 80½
where it representing a net gain of
2½ points.
St. Paul issues improved frac-
tionally on announcement that
the interstate commerce commis-
sion had approved a government
loan of \$10,000,000 to meet obli-
gations maturing January 1.
Among the few issues which
closed at net gains of a point or
more were Chicago & Northwest-
ern and Pere Marquette.

Fisher Body was nudged up 8
points to a new high record for
the year.
Allied remittances other than
sterling, showed slight recessions.
Call money opened at 4½ per
cent, eased off to 4 before noon
and dropped to 3½ in the late
afternoon holding at that figure
until the close. Time money and
commercial paper rates were un-
changed.

FINANCIAL

Day's total sales 749,000
shares.
Twenty industrials averaged
97.70, net loss 15.
High, 1922, 103.43; low 78.59.
Twenty railroads averaged
84.51 net gain 16.
High, 1922, 93.99; low 74.43.
Total bond sales, par value,
\$1,218,000.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lee was among
holiday shoppers in the city yester-
day from Chandlerville.

FOR SALE—20 Barred Rock
cockerels, priced right.
Anderson, Alexander, 19-12.
12-6-17

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en at home. Phone 1053. Mrs.
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\$800 and \$1,500. The John-
ston Agency. 11-1-17

CHRISTMAS CARDS—Engraved
and printed. Artcraft Print-
ing, 213 West Morgan. 11-10-17

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lished in 1883). 10-1-17

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Market Report

WHEAT DELIVERIES
TOUCH HIGH MARK

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Zero
temperatures together with a
severity of snow protection for
the winter crop did a good deal
today to lift the values of wheat.
All deliveries touched a new high
price record for the season, closing
firm ½ to 2½ net higher,
May \$1.21½ to \$1.21½ and July
\$1.12½ to \$1.12½. Corn gained ¼
to ¾, oats finished at 1½ decline
to ¾ advance and provisions
varying from a setback of 12c
to a rise of 7c.

Despite much profit taking on
the part of holders and with-
standing that the Liverpool mar-
ket failed to respond fully to yes-
terday's advance in prices on this
side of the Atlantic wheat bulls
here acting on crop damage pos-
sibilities had the advantage thrut-
out the day except during a brief
interval.

Incidentally strength of ster-
ling exchange more than offset the
apparent slowness of upturns in
Liverpool wheat quotations and
there was continued eager watch-
ing here for proposed enactment of
credit extension measures at
Washington. It was a subject of
considerable comment that the
Liverpool—Chicago May wheat
spread has widened about 2c in
the last few days owing more or
less to the sharp rise of sterling—
a jump of 17 points as compared
with a month ago and of 50 points
as against this time last year.

Enthusiasm of buyers here was
checked as a result of weakness
in Argentine prices and on ac-
count of uncertainties affecting
the financial situation in Europe.
Corn and oats averaged higher
closed with wheat. December oats
were depressed by liquidating sales
on the part of holders.
Downturn in the value of horse
had a bearish influence on provi-
sions.

Chicago Livestock Market
Chicago, Dec. 12.—Cattle—15-
000. Beef steers and butchers
stock active, firm; killing quality
beef steers reflecting improve-
ment over Monday; bulk native
beef steers \$8.50 to \$10.25; sev-
eral lots matured steers \$10.50 to
\$11.50; some head around \$12;
load Christmas yearlings \$14;
weight 958 pounds; canners and
cutters steady; bulk canners
around \$2.75, bulls slow; veal
calves strong to 25c higher; bet-
ter grades stockers and feeders
firm; others slow; bulk desirable
veal calves to packer \$9.25 to
\$9.75, medium light vealers
around \$8.50; bulk butcher stock
\$4 to \$6.50; bulk desirable
bologna bulk \$4 to \$4.35; bulk
stockers and feeders \$5.50 to
\$6.50.

Hogs—Receipts 67,000. Mostly
15c lower; closing weak; 5c un-
der Monday's close; bulk 20c to
275 pound averages \$8.25 to
\$8.30; few 150 to 170 pound av-
erages \$8.35 to \$8.45; top \$8.45
early; packing sows mostly \$7.50
to \$8; desirable pigs around
\$8.25; holdover liberal at noon.

Sheep—15,000. Killing classes
generally steady; top 1½c
lamba \$15.50 to packers and city
lamba \$15 to bulk fat woolly lamba
\$15 to \$15.40; culls mostly \$11
to \$12; fresh shorn 83 pound
fed lamba \$13.40; fat clipped
lamba \$13.25 to \$13.50; no fresh
feeders received, clipped 82 pound
fed yearling wethers \$11; shorn 95
pound fed aged wethers \$7; wool
heavy \$8.25; average \$5 to 12;
light yearlings, canners, light
vealers and stocker steers steady;
beef cows strong to 15c higher;
bologna bulls 15 to 25c higher;
yearlings largely \$5 to \$8; cows
\$4 to \$5.25; canners \$2.35 to
\$2.50; bologna bulls \$4 to
\$4.50; calves largely \$8.75 to
\$9.25; stockers \$4.25 to \$6.25.

Hogs—Receipts 22,000; fairly
active; 5 to 15c lower; mostly 10c
lower; packer top \$8.25; shipper
top \$8.20; 130 to 170 pounds
mostly \$8 to \$8.10; bulk desir-
able 190 to 270 pounds \$8.10 to
\$8.25; bulk of sales \$8 to \$8.20;
packing sows steady; mostly
\$7.50 to \$7.60; fat pigs 25c lower,
bulk \$7 to \$7.50; 110 to 125
pound pound pigs to shippers \$7
to \$7.90.

Sheep—Receipts 4,000; lamba
generally 25 to 35c higher; choice
Colorado \$11.50; better grades
natives and other fed lots \$14.50
to \$15. Sheep, strong; light ewes
\$7.25; others \$6 to \$7; 62 pound
feeding lamba \$14.

East St. Louis Livestock
East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 12.—
(S. U. Department of Agriculture)
—Cattle—Receipts 5,500; beef
steers barely steady, \$10.25 paid;
light yearlings, canners, light
vealers and stocker steers steady;
beef cows strong to 15c higher;
bologna bulls 15 to 25c higher;
yearlings largely \$5 to \$8; cows
\$4 to \$5.25; canners \$2.35 to
\$2.50; bologna bulls \$4 to
\$4.50; calves largely \$8.75 to
\$9.25; stockers \$4.25 to \$6.25.

Hogs—Receipts 22,000; mostly
15c lower; top \$8.45; for mixed
and butchers, bulk early sales 130
pounds and up \$8.30 to \$8.40;
light yearlings, canners, light
vealers and stocker steers steady;
beef cows strong to 15c higher;
bologna bulls 15 to 25c higher;
yearlings largely \$5 to \$8; cows
\$4 to \$5.25; canners \$2.35 to
\$2.50; bologna bulls \$4 to
\$4.50; calves largely \$8.75 to
\$9.25; stockers \$4.25 to \$6.25.

Sheep—Receipts 4,500; very lit-
tle early trading; only part run
here; practically no good lamba
on sale. One short load to pack-
ers \$15; few other sales \$14.50 to
\$14.75; fat native ewes \$6.50;
heavy \$4 to \$4.50.

Chicago Grain Futures
Chicago, Dec. 12.—Futures:
Opening. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT
Dec. 1.122 1.22 1.21 1.222
May 1.202 1.212 1.20 1.211
July 1.101 1.121 1.10 1.121

CORN
Dec. .721 .73 .721 .721
May .711 .711 .711 .711
July .701 .711 .701 .711

OATS
Dec. .45 .45 .44 .45
May .44 .45 .44 .45
July .41 .41 .41 .41

LARD
Jan. 10.10 10.10
May 10.37 10.40 10.32 10.35
July 10.37 10.40 10.32 10.35

St. Louis Cash Grain
St. Louis, Dec. 12.—Cash—
Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.30; No. 3
red \$1.30 to \$1.34;
Corn—No. 2 yellow 74½ to 75c;<



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PHYSICIANS TO HOLD MEETING THURSDAY

Clinical Association and Medical Society Will Meet at Two Hospitals.

The Jacksonville Clinical association and Morgan County Medical society will meet on Thursday, December 14. The morning sessions of the clinic will be held at Our Savior's hospital and a large number of operative cases will be conducted. The afternoon sessions are to be at the Jacksonville state hospital and different psychiatric cases and subjects will be considered.

The Morgan County Medical society will meet at the Peacock Inn for dinner at 6 o'clock Thursday evening. After the dinner hour there will be a business session and the annual election of officers will take place. Dr. R. V. Brokaw, county health officer will make an address on "Public Health Problems."

The full program for the day follows:

Our Savior's Hospital 9 to 9:45

Operative Clinic:

9:00 Eye, ear, nose and throat

clinic, Gregory, Adams, Frank.

8:30 Cholecystectomy, Norris.

9:15 Cholecystectomy and post

operative adhesions, Norris.

10:00 Gastrectomy for pyloric

obstruction, probably malignant,

Norris.

11:00 Amputation of leg for

sarcoma, Norris.

9:15 Blood transfusion, indi-

rect method: two cases, perni-

cious anemia and secondary an-

emia, F. G. Norbury.

Demonstrations.

9:30 Acute abdomen in preg-

nancy, Woltman.

9:45 Typhoid, two cases, Wolt-

man.

10:00 X-ray, deep therapy, ma-

lignant disease, Chapin.

10:15 Tectoma, retroperito-

neal, Black.

10:30 Neurological clinic, F.

P. Norbury.

11:00 Metabolic changes in ar-

thritis deformans, F. G. Nor-

bury.

Luncheon.

Jacksonville state hospital, 2

to 4:30 p. m.

A series of cases showing dif-

ferent phases of manic depres-

sive psychosis, Dr. B. Trippier,

Senior Physician.

Difficulties in differential diag-

nosis manic depressive psychosis,

Dr. T. G. McLin, assistant man-

aging officer.

Post encephalitis lethargia, Dr.

E. A. Genderson, physician.

Dinner, Peacock Inn, 6 p. m.

Morgan county medical meet-

ing following dinner.

Public Health Problems, R. V.

Brokaw, county health officer.

Annual election of officers and

regular business meeting, T. G.

McLin, secretary.

The Illinois College Band

will give a concert at the

Marquette Hall in Franklin

Wednesday evening, at 8

o'clock. Admission 25c.

RED CROSS ADVISORY BOARD

The advisory board of the Mor-

gan County Chapter of the Red

Cross met Monday evening at

the headquarters at the library.

Ernest Stout, chairman of the

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and the routine business of the

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MURRAYVILLE

Mrs. George Miller was taken to the hospital Friday where an operation was performed in hopes of saving her limb which has been causing her so much trouble, but it was found to be necessary to amputate it, which will be done in a few days.

Miss Alma Connolly spent several days with her grandmother, Mrs. Thomas Doolin.

Miss Grace Jennings of Manchester spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Minnie Haneline of Jacksonville attended the Eastern Star meeting Friday night and was the guest of Mrs. S. B. Robinson over night.

Miss Stella Worrall of the State School for the Blind spent Sunday with home folks.

Misses Fayet Kiser and Mary H. Clark of the Cloverleaf force of Jacksonville spent Sunday at home.

Clarence Ashbaker and family of Jacksonville were Sunday visitors with Peter McCabe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Solmon and children were dinner guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Collins.

Mrs. Lydia Deering of Grand Island, Neb., is visiting her brother, Thomas Wilson and wife.

Miss Dora Smith of Jacksonville spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Warren Jones and family enjoyed a visit over Sunday from her sister, Mrs. Thomas Phippen and husband of Peoria.

Mrs. Jessie Osborne and daughter of Jerome, Idaho and Mrs. Mable Miner and son John Williams of Carrollton were guests at dinner Sunday of Miss Ruth Melior.

Claude Dobson of Jacksonville was a week-end guest of home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Jones were visitors in Winchester Monday.

Mrs. George Johnson has been confined to her bed the past week being quite ill with the flu.

Mrs. S. B. Robinson was a guest of relatives in White Hall Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chapman of near Manchester were visitors Sunday at the home of Mrs. Chapman's brother, Dr. J. H. Spencer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Collins and son Charles went to Springfield Monday to spend the day with Mr. Collins' sister, Miss Laura Collins who is returning to Africa as a missionary, after enjoying a year's vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mortimer and daughter Miss Eva and son Earl of near Woodson, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Strang.

Mrs. Clarence Smith of Manchester spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayes.

Mrs. Lella Ramsey enjoyed a visit Sunday from her sister, Mrs. James Johnson of Jacksonville.

J. L. Solomon went to Peoria Tuesday to attend an implement dealers convention.

Mrs. C. A. Rousey of Jacksonville spent Sunday with her son, Carl Rousey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Yates Potter of Lynnville were guests Sunday of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Blakeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Sociere and Mrs. Evaline Rimbey were guests at supper Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rimbey and family.

The Domestic Science club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C. T. Daniel.

Miss Mildred Wright and brother Benjamin spent Saturday night and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. E. T. Doyle and family in Jacksonville.

Miss Floy Featherkille of near Athensville spent the week-end with relatives here.

PUBLIC SALE

Friday, Dec. 15th, 1/2 mile east of Literberry, horses, hogs, cattle and implements.

T. M. CRUM.

LYNNVILLE

Pearl Cronkhite is sick with scarlet fever at her home in Lynnville.

Miss Nettie Hills spent several days last week at the home of Albert Potter.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Ira Patterson in Jacksonville last Saturday.

Misses Leta and Irene Groves and Harold Cockin spent Sunday evening at the home of George Fligg.

Mrs. Oliver Stainforth who has been very sick, is improving.

Harold Hills and Opal Stephenson are both able to be out again after an attack of scarlet fever.

MERRITT

A parcel post sale will be given at the church by the Ladies' Aid on December 15.

Bert Chrisman was a caller in the city last week.

Lee Carter and family spent Sunday with relatives in Merritt.

There was a medium sized crowd out both at Sunday school and church Sunday.

The Merritt band will give a concert in Chapin December 22.

Director Russell Harvey.

J. W. Barry has returned from Chicago.

S. W. Snow and family enter-

DAVIS SWITCH

Mr. and Mrs. William Paul entertained a number of friends recently at a goose dinner. The company included Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGhee of south of the city and Mrs. J. R. Stice of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cain are moving to the city for the winter. They have resided on a farm south of the city for the past thirty-five years.

Mrs. Leach spent a pleasant day Wednesday with Mrs. Amanda Davis and daughter west of Woodson.

The coal operators think by next week they will be ready to hoist coal on Big Sandy. Mr. and Mrs. Frye have moved to the residence property near the mine and are now comfortably located.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hairgrove made a return trip yesterday from northeast of town to conclude business begun Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Daugherty and daughter motored to the city yesterday from Scottville and spent the day with friends.

Miss Anna K. Bertsch, who has been working at St. Elizabeth hospital, Belleville, Ill., for the last six months, has returned to her home at 416 Jordan street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stubblefield and daughter, Miss Ruth, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lloyds, north of Jacksonville.

Miss Helen McGinnis who has been in the Chamber of Commerce office for several weeks, has accepted a position at the Cloverleaf Casualty company.

W. A. Bridgeman was a business caller in Jacksonville yesterday from the vicinity of Arnold.

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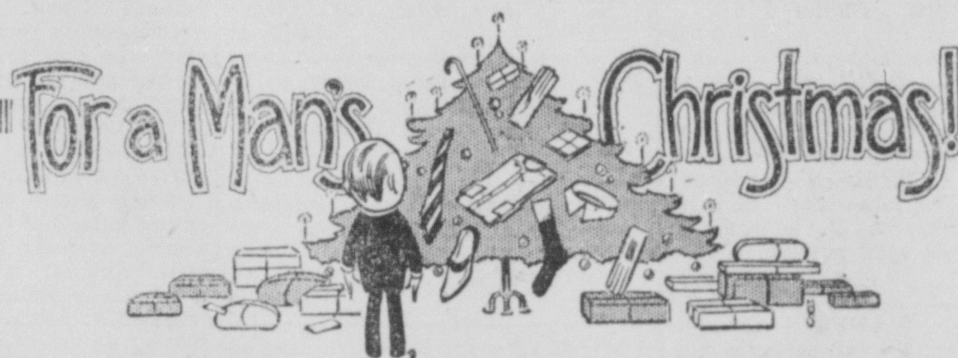
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